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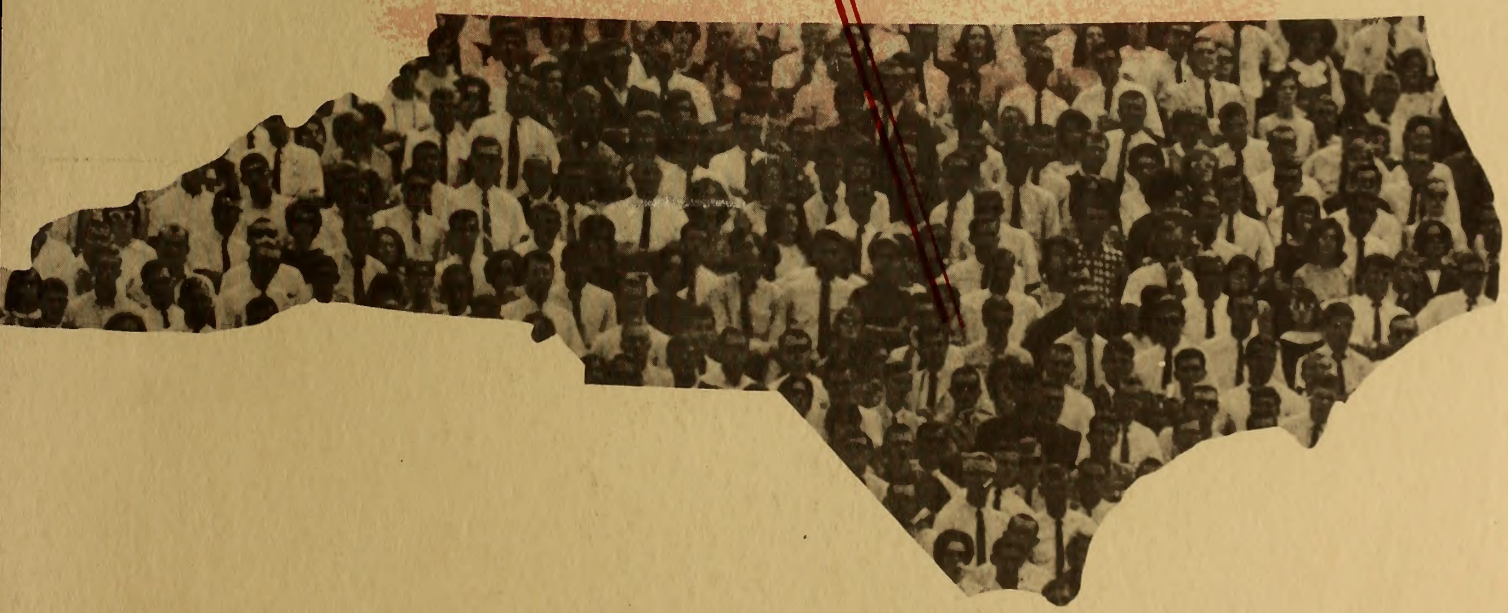

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## Preface

Information in this publication was obtained from the United States Censuses of Agriculture and Population unless otherwise indicated. Agricultural data were taken from or computed from the 1954 Census of Agriculture, Vol. I, Part 16 and the 1959 Census of Agriculture, Vol. I, Part 26. Population, employment and income data were obtained from the 1950 Census of Population, Vol. II, Part 33 and the 1960 Census of Population, PC (1) - 35C.

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### Introduction

Rapid agricultural, social and economic changes are occurring in North Carolina. This publication is designed to help individual farmers, area development groups, professional agricultural workers and organized farm groups better understand these changes, and more clearly identify some of the problems resulting therefrom. Inherent in these changes is the need for individual farm, business and area resource adjustments as a means of accelerating the rate of agricultural, industrial, recreational and human resource development.

### Characteristics Reported

Information presented here gives a general picture of the changing structure of North Carolina agriculture, population and industrial employment. Farms are shown by number, average size, distribution by size and average cropland harvested. Farms are also classified by tenure and the average value of land and buildings. Data are included to show the extent of off-farm employment and proportion of farm operators whose off-farm family income exceeds their gross farm income. Median family incomes as well as their distribution and extent of change are shown.

This publication includes information on the total population, its distribution by place of residence, and the percentage change from 1950 to 1960. Total employment for 1960 and its distribution by selected industries is included also along with the percentage change from 1950 to 1960. The information is given by county, area[1/] and state.

1/ Area data were computed from weighted averages of the counties making up the area. The number of farms, families, tenants--or whatever the corresponding criteria--were used as the weights.

Information on the average prices received by farmers and cash receipts from crops, livestock and livestock products is presented for the state from 1940 to 1963. Data are also shown on the acres of principal crops and on the various type livestock on farms.

The reader may wish to supplement material in this publication with information from the North Carolina Agricultural Statistics, published annually by the North Carolina Department of Agriculture, or the United States Censuses of Agriculture and Population, published each five and 10 years, respectively, by the United States Department of Commerce.

## Comparability of Data

Users of the data in this publication should take special note of the change in the Census definition of a farm which affects comparability of the data for various years. In 1959, the Census counted as a farm each unit of 10 acres or more if sales of agricultural products totaled $50 or more; units of less than 10 acres were counted as farms if sales totaled $250 or more. In 1950 and 1954, the Census counted as a farm each unit of three acres or more if the value of agricultural products (whether sold or not, excluding home-grown garden products) totaled $150 or more; units of less than three acres were counted if sales of agricultural products totaled at least $150.

The total number of farms in North Carolina decreased by 77,339 or 28.9 per cent from 1954 to 1959. Of this total decrease, 16,671 farms were accounted for by the change in definition. Therefore, the magnitude of change in the number of farms and average farm characteristics shown in this publication is somewhat greater than what would have prevailed without the change in definition. Of course, the change in definition has little or no effect on the changes in commercial farms, except those with sales of less than $2500.

Figure 1. Percentage decrease in number of farms - 1954-1959

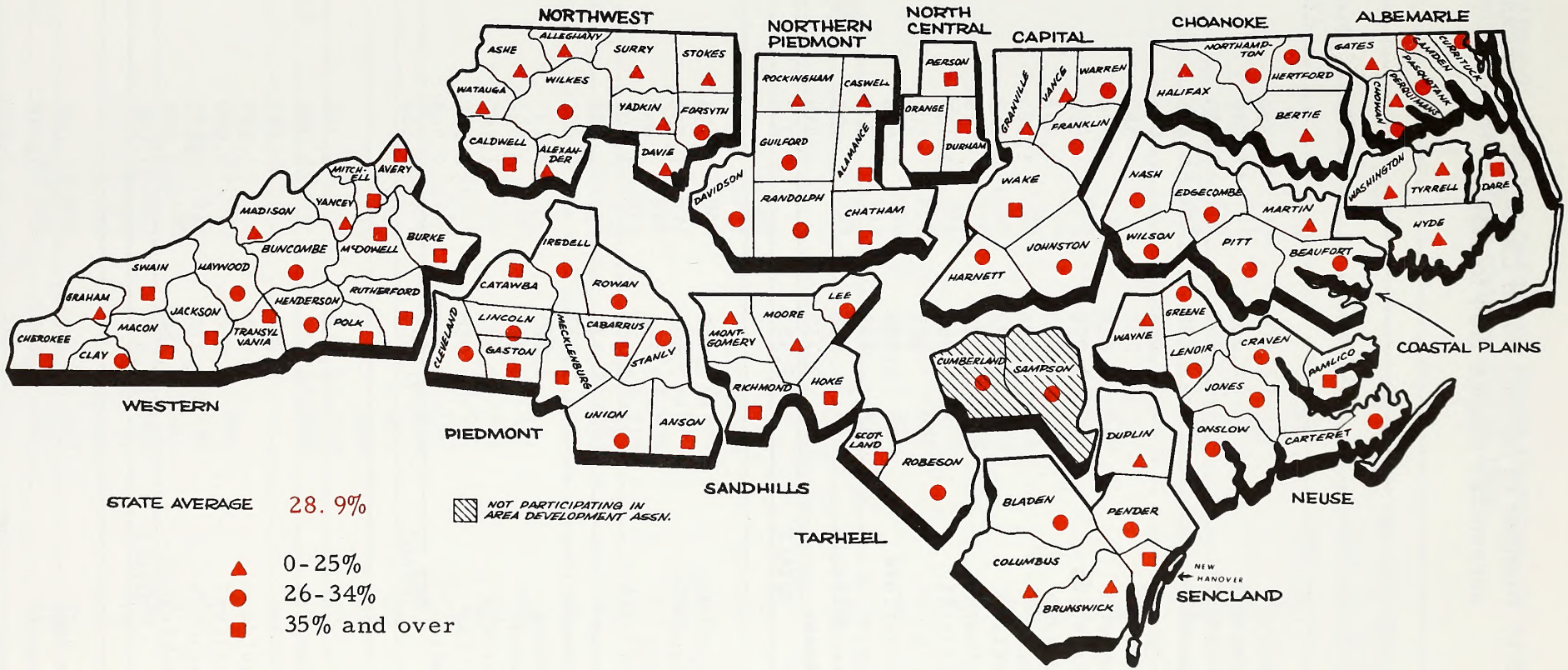


Table 1. Number of farms, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959

| | | 1954 | 1959 | Percent change 1954 to 1959 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| WESTERN | Avery | 1,509 | 824 | -45 |
| | Buncombe | 4,303 | 3,059 | -29 |
| | Burke | 1,922 | 1,085 | -44 |
| | Cherokee | 1,638 | 825 | -50 |
| | Clay | 864 | 629 | -27 |
| | Graham | 757 | 587 | -22 |
| | Haywood | 2,818 | 1,914 | -32 |
| | Henderson | 1,998 | 1,368 | -32 |
| | Jackson | 1,813 | 1,137 | -37 |
| | Macon | 1,896 | 1,203 | -37 |
| | Madison | 3,482 | 2,642 | -24 |
| | McDowell | 1,323 | 779 | -41 |
| | Mitchell | 1,763 | 1,127 | -36 |
| | Polk | 997 | 502 | -50 |
| | Rutherford | 3,021 | 1,688 | -44 |
| | Swain | 758 | 493 | -35 |
| | Transylvania | 968 | 533 | -45 |
| | Yancey | 2,153 | 1,818 | -16 |
| | TOTALS | 33,983 | 22,213 | -35 |
| NORTHWEST | Alleghany | 1,447 | 1,198 | -17 |
| | Alexander | 1,504 | 1,266 | -16 |
| | Ashe | 3,754 | 3,040 | -19 |
| | Caldwell | 2,165 | 1,109 | -49 |
| | Davie | 1,527 | 1,139 | -25 |
| | Forsyth | 2,927 | 2,031 | -31 |
| | Stokes | 3,809 | 3,137 | -18 |
| | Surry | 4,297 | 3,397 | -21 |
| | Watauga | 2,427 | 1,940 | -20 |
| | Wilkes | 4,088 | 2,730 | -33 |
| | Yadkin | 3,148 | 2,568 | -18 |
| | TOTALS | 31,093 | 23,555 | -24 |
| NORTHERN PIEDMONT | Alamance | 2,749 | 1,758 | -36 |
| | Caswell | 2,899 | 2,284 | -21 |
| | Chatham | 2,844 | 1,731 | -39 |
| | Davidson | 3,561 | 2,436 | -32 |
| | Guilford | 4,518 | 3,020 | -33 |
| | Randolph | 3,578 | 2,639 | -26 |
| | Rockingham | 4,188 | 3,198 | -24 |
| | TOTALS | 24,337 | 17,066 | -30 |
| NORTH CENTRAL | Durham | 1,622 | 1,023 | -37 |
| | Orange | 1,939 | 1,418 | -27 |
| | Person | 3,591 | 2,330 | -35 |
| | TOTALS | 7,152 | 4,771 | -33 |

**Table 1. (continued) Number of farms, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959**

| | | 1954 | 1959 | Percent change 1954 to 1959 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| CHOANOKE | Bertie | 3,165 | 2,447 | -23 |
| | Halifax | 4,244 | 3,207 | -24 |
| | Hertford | 1,761 | 1,311 | -26 |
| | Northampton | 2,879 | 2,118 | -26 |
| | TOTALS | 12,049 | 9,083 | -25 |
| ALBEMARLE | Camden | 434 | 320 | -26 |
| | Chowan | 895 | 644 | -28 |
| | Currituck | 544 | 367 | -33 |
| | Dare | 39 | 21 | -46 |
| | Gates | 1,166 | 912 | -22 |
| | Hyde | 570 | 442 | -22 |
| | Pasquotank | 791 | 579 | -27 |
| | Perquimans | 888 | 686 | -23 |
| | Tyrrell | 499 | 374 | -25 |
| | Washington | 773 | 671 | -13 |
| | TOTALS | 6,599 | 5,016 | -24 |
| COASTAL PLAIN | Beaufort | 3,194 | 2,359 | -26 |
| | Edgecombe | 3,725 | 2,726 | -27 |
| | Martin | 2,888 | 2,243 | -22 |
| | Nash | 5,461 | 4,014 | -26 |
| | Pitt | 5,583 | 3,926 | -30 |
| | Wilson | 3,919 | 2,715 | -31 |
| | TOTALS | 24,770 | 17,983 | -27 |
| NEUSE | Carteret | 640 | 471 | -26 |
| | Craven | 2,358 | 1,626 | -31 |
| | Greene | 2,945 | 2,042 | -31 |
| | Jones | 1,515 | 1,083 | -29 |
| | Lenoir | 3,529 | 2,429 | -31 |
| | Onslow | 2,064 | 1,451 | -30 |
| | Pamlico | 738 | 466 | -37 |
| | Wayne | 4,588 | 3,518 | -23 |
| | TOTALS | 18,377 | 13,086 | -29 |
| CAPITAL | Franklin | 4,050 | 2,950 | -27 |
| | Granville | 3,578 | 2,938 | -18 |
| | Harnett | 4,684 | 3,244 | -31 |
| | Johnston | 7,822 | 5,662 | -28 |
| | Vance | 2,106 | 1,727 | -18 |
| | Wake | 5,770 | 3,743 | -35 |
| | Warren | 2,866 | 1,963 | -32 |
| | TOTALS | 30,876 | 22,227 | -28 |

Table 1. (continued) Number of farms, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959

| | | 1954 | 1959 | Percent change 1954 to 1959 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| SENCLAND & SOUTHEASTERN | Bladen | 3,633 | 2,681 | -26 |
| | Brunswick | 1,976 | 1,605 | -19 |
| | Columbus | 6,051 | 4,819 | -20 |
| | Duplin | 5,650 | 4,342 | -23 |
| | New Hanover | 376 | 209 | -44 |
| | Pender | 2,266 | 1,601 | -29 |
| | TOTALS | 19,952 | 15,257 | -24 |
| TAR HEEL | Robeson | 8,037 | 5,982 | -26 |
| | Scotland | 1,241 | 810 | -35 |
| | TOTALS | 9,278 | 6,792 | -27 |
| SAMDHILLS | Hoke | 1,560 | 1,011 | -35 |
| | Lee | 1,500 | 1,064 | -29 |
| | Montgomery | 995 | 843 | -15 |
| | Moore | 2,328 | 1,934 | -17 |
| | Richmond | 1,572 | 930 | -41 |
| | TOTALS | 7,955 | 5,782 | -27 |
| PIEDMONT | Anson | 2,238 | 1,399 | -37 |
| | Cabarrus | 1,882 | 1,188 | -37 |
| | Catawba | 2,718 | 1,672 | -38 |
| | Cleveland | 4,672 | 3,084 | -34 |
| | Gaston | 1,762 | 1,089 | -38 |
| | Iredell | 3,699 | 2,603 | -30 |
| | Lincoln | 2,333 | 1,558 | -33 |
| | Mecklenburg | 2,787 | 1,427 | -49 |
| | Rowan | 2,911 | 1,929 | -34 |
| | Stanly | 2,244 | 1,645 | -27 |
| | Union | 4,415 | 3,087 | -30 |
| | TOTALS | 31,661 | 20,681 | -35 |
| NOT Participating | Cumberland | 3,002 | 2,074 | -31 |
| | Sampson | 6,822 | 4,981 | -27 |
| | TOTALS | 9,824 | 7,055 | -28 |
| STATE of N. C. | | 267,906 | 190,567 | -28.9 |

Figure 2. Percentage change in average size of farm, 1954-1959

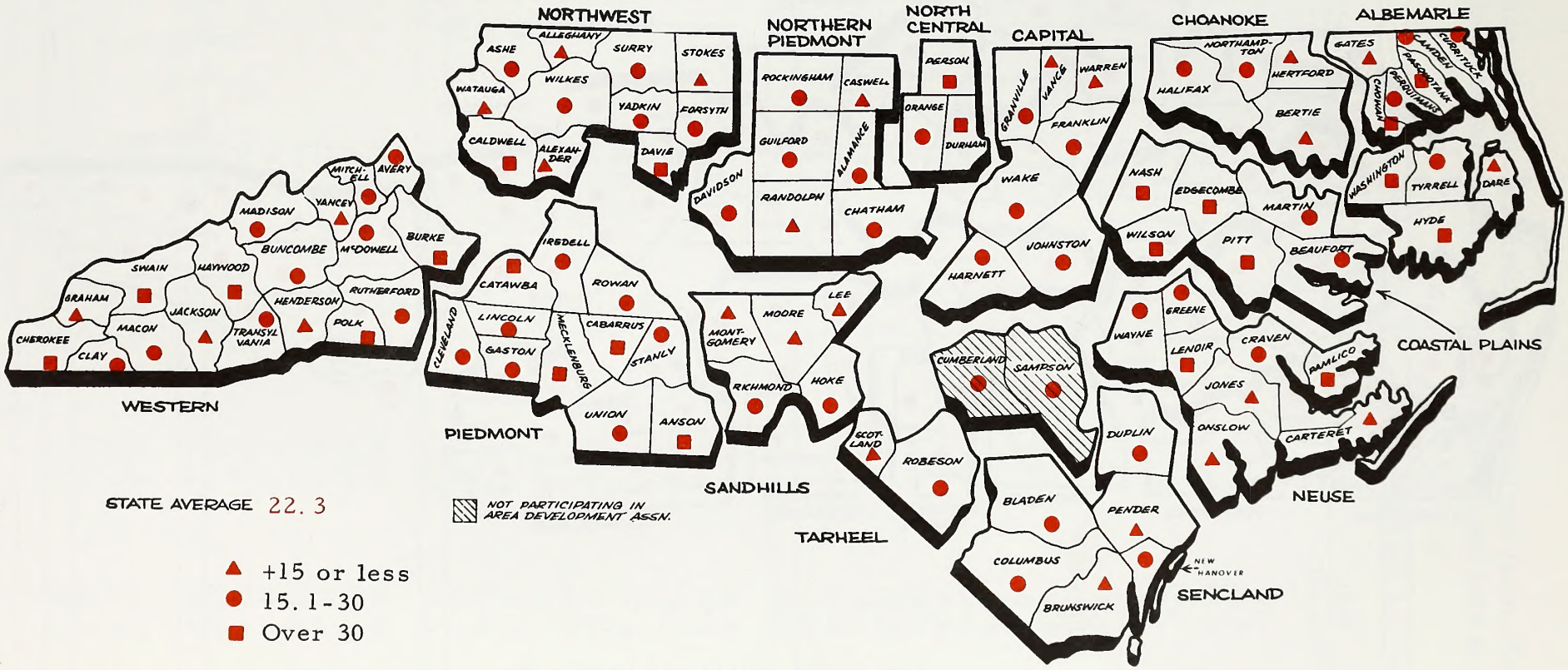
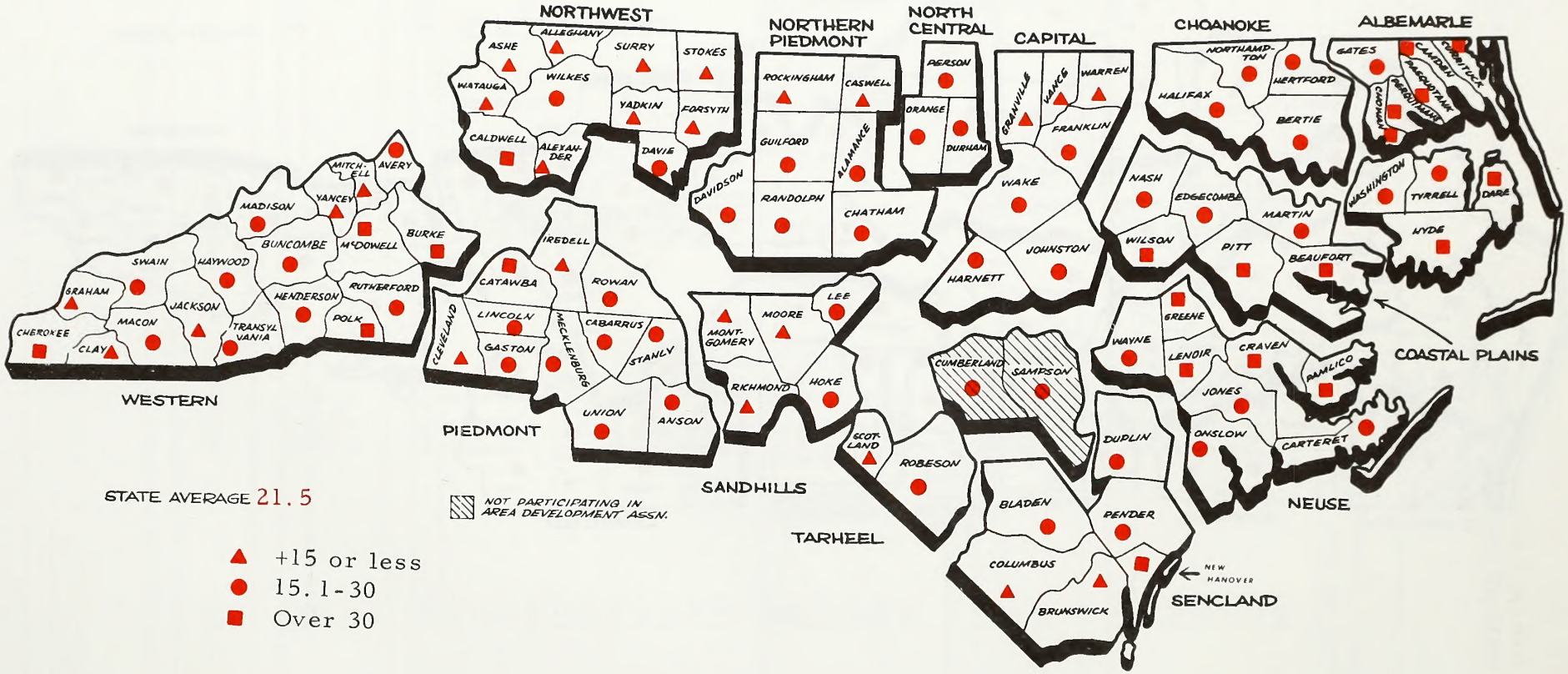


Figure 3. Percentage change in average acreage of cropland harvested per farm, 1954-1959



## Table 2. Average size of farms and cropland harvested per farm, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959

| | Average farm size | | | Avg. cropland harvested per farm | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 1954 | 1959 | Percent chg. 1954-1959 | 1954 | 1959 | Percent chg. 1954-1959 |
| | (acres) | | | (acres) | | |
| **WESTERN** | | | | | | |
| Avery | 56.0 | 69.0 | 23.2 | 8.2 | 9.7 | 18.3 |
| Buncombe | 47.4 | 59.7 | 25.9 | 7.0 | 8.5 | 21.4 |
| Burke | 59.4 | 80.6 | 35.7 | 10.5 | 16.1 | 53.3 |
| Cherokee | 71.1 | 96.6 | 35.9 | 7.9 | 11.7 | 48.1 |
| Clay | 55.9 | 68.4 | 22.4 | 10.3 | 11.7 | 13.6 |
| Graham | 49.2 | 51.8 | 5.3 | 6.2 | 5.9 | - 4.8 |
| Haywood | 55.8 | 75.6 | 35.5 | 7.1 | 8.8 | 23.9 |
| Henderson | 61.8 | 71.1 | 15.0 | 15.2 | 19.2 | 26.3 |
| Jackson | 81.9 | 71.7 | -12.5 | 9.5 | 7.6 | -20.0 |
| Macon | 60.6 | 72.5 | 19.6 | 8.1 | 10.0 | 23.4 |
| Madison | 60.7 | 72.6 | 19.6 | 7.2 | 8.6 | 19.4 |
| McDowell | 69.8 | 83.5 | 19.6 | 9.3 | 12.6 | 35.5 |
| Mitchell | 46.6 | 57.2 | 22.7 | 7.6 | 7.9 | 3.9 |
| Polk | 70.8 | 104.2 | 47.2 | 12.9 | 18.5 | 43.4 |
| Rutherford | 69.1 | 85.8 | 24.2 | 15.8 | 18.3 | 15.8 |
| Swain | 61.2 | 79.6 | 30.1 | 5.1 | 6.1 | 19.6 |
| Transylvania | 55.7 | 68.9 | 23.7 | 9.6 | 11.4 | 18.8 |
| Yancey | 55.5 | 56.2 | 1.3 | 7.1 | 7.4 | 4.2 |
| TOTALS | 59.8 | 71.5 | 19.6 | 9.2 | 10.8 | 17.4 |
| **NORTHWEST PIEDMONT** | | | | | | |
| Alleghany | 83.4 | 93.0 | 11.5 | 13.0 | 14.6 | 12.3 |
| Alexander | 74.9 | 80.0 | 6.8 | 17.8 | 16.3 | - 8.4 |
| Ashe | 61.7 | 72.3 | 17.2 | 8.9 | 9.1 | 2.2 |
| Caldwell | 61.5 | 85.1 | 38.4 | 9.5 | 12.6 | 32.6 |
| Davie | 82.5 | 109.2 | 32.4 | 22.9 | 27.8 | 21.4 |
| Forsyth | 54.5 | 64.0 | 17.4 | 15.9 | 17.5 | 10.1 |
| Stokes | 65.7 | 71.2 | 8.4 | 13.1 | 13.2 | .8 |
| Surry | 61.4 | 71.2 | 16.0 | 13.5 | 14.1 | 4.4 |
| Watauga | 58.6 | 63.4 | 8.2 | 7.9 | 8.3 | 5.1 |
| Wilkes | 65.6 | 81.0 | 23.5 | 9.7 | 11.8 | 21.6 |
| Yadkin | 56.0 | 64.5 | 15.2 | 16.9 | 18.2 | 7.7 |
| TOTALS | 63.8 | 74.6 | 16.9 | 12.9 | 14.1 | 9.3 |
| **NORTHERN PIEDMONT** | | | | | | |
| Alamance | 73.3 | 90.9 | 24.0 | 20.4 | 24.8 | 21.6 |
| Caswell | 85.1 | 97.4 | 14.5 | 17.4 | 18.0 | 3.4 |
| Chatham | 97.7 | 125.0 | 27.9 | 17.2 | 21.2 | 23.3 |
| Davidson | 63.7 | 78.6 | 23.4 | 17.1 | 21.4 | 25.1 |
| Guilford | 64.3 | 79.4 | 23.5 | 17.6 | 21.2 | 20.5 |
| Randolph | 90.0 | 101.0 | 12.2 | 18.4 | 22.4 | 21.7 |
| Rockingham | 68.4 | 83.8 | 22.5 | 16.0 | 17.0 | 6.3 |
| TOTALS | 76.1 | 91.6 | 20.4 | 17.6 | 20.6 | 17.1 |
| **NORTH CENTRAL** | | | | | | |
| Durham | 68.2 | 89.7 | 31.5 | 14.5 | 16.7 | 15.2 |
| Orange | 85.6 | 102.9 | 20.2 | 18.8 | 22.9 | 21.8 |
| Person | 64.8 | 93.2 | 43.8 | 14.0 | 18.0 | 28.6 |
| TOTALS | 71.2 | 95.3 | 33.8 | 15.4 | 19.2 | 24.7 |

Table 2. (continued) Average size of farms and cropland harvested per farm, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959

| | | Average farm size | | | Avg. cropland harvested per farm | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | 1954 | 1959 | Percent chg. 1954-1959 | 1954 | 1959 | Percent chg. 1954-1959 |
| | | (acres) | | | (acres) | | |
| CHOANOKE | Bertie | 83.6 | 93.0 | 11.2 | 24.9 | 30.7 | 23.3 |
| | Halifax | 85.3 | 101.9 | 19.5 | 29.8 | 35.9 | 20.5 |
| | Hertford | 76.0 | 86.8 | 14.2 | 26.6 | 33.9 | 27.4 |
| | Northampton | 93.8 | 115.7 | 23.3 | 34.1 | 44.1 | 29.3 |
| | TOTALS | 85.5 | 100.6 | 17.7 | 29.1 | 36.1 | 24.1 |
| ALBEMARLE | Camden | 133.8 | 161.6 | 20.8 | 74.8 | 99.5 | 33.0 |
| | Chowan | 80.8 | 105.5 | 30.6 | 36.0 | 48.7 | 35.3 |
| | Currituck | 148.2 | 181.3 | 22.3 | 60.8 | 89.8 | 47.7 |
| | Dare | 29.3 | 31.8 | 8.5 | 4.4 | 23.8 | 440.9 |
| | Gates | 99.3 | 107.9 | 8.7 | 32.1 | 40.9 | 27.4 |
| | Hyde | 124.1 | 179.9 | 45.0 | 56.3 | 82.5 | 46.5 |
| | Pasquotank | 92.9 | 123.0 | 32.4 | 54.7 | 81.0 | 48.1 |
| | Perquimans | 99.3 | 127.7 | 28.6 | 50.9 | 67.6 | 32.8 |
| | Tyrrell | 81.6 | 100.6 | 23.3 | 32.2 | 41.7 | 29.5 |
| | Washington | 92.8 | 160.9 | 73.4 | 40.1 | 47.7 | 18.9 |
| | TOTALS | 102.0 | 133.4 | 30.8 | 45.9 | 62.0 | 35.1 |
| COASTAL PLAIN | Beaufort | 82.2 | 104.2 | 26.8 | 32.4 | 46.9 | 44.8 |
| | Edgecombe | 72.8 | 96.0 | 31.9 | 31.3 | 40.6 | 29.7 |
| | Martin | 68.4 | 84.8 | 24.0 | 24.8 | 30.5 | 23.0 |
| | Nash | 52.1 | 69.1 | 32.6 | 20.7 | 25.8 | 24.6 |
| | Pitt | 52.5 | 77.6 | 47.8 | 25.7 | 35.3 | 37.4 |
| | Wilson | 49.4 | 70.2 | 42.1 | 24.6 | 32.0 | 30.1 |
| | TOTALS | 60.7 | 81.8 | 34.8 | 26.0 | 34.4 | 32.3 |
| NEUSE | Carteret | 119.1 | 99.8 | -16.2 | 19.5 | 23.3 | 19.5 |
| | Craven | 73.6 | 87.7 | 19.2 | 22.1 | 28.8 | 30.3 |
| | Greene | 46.3 | 59.9 | 29.4 | 23.8 | 31.7 | 33.2 |
| | Jones | 86.1 | 97.1 | 12.8 | 28.7 | 33.7 | 17.4 |
| | Lenoir | 61.5 | 83.2 | 35.3 | 26.8 | 35.2 | 31.3 |
| | Onslow | 72.0 | 81.9 | 13.8 | 21.9 | 26.8 | 22.4 |
| | Pamlico | 92.9 | 132.6 | 42.7 | 35.8 | 50.9 | 42.2 |
| | Wayne | 59.3 | 73.6 | 24.1 | 29.0 | 36.3 | 25.2 |
| | TOTALS | 66.5 | 80.9 | 21.7 | 26.0 | 33.2 | 27.7 |
| CAPITAL | Franklin | 60.6 | 77.1 | 27.2 | 17.1 | 21.1 | 23.4 |
| | Granville | 79.4 | 93.6 | 17.9 | 17.6 | 18.5 | 5.1 |
| | Harnett | 58.4 | 72.5 | 24.1 | 21.8 | 25.3 | 16.1 |
| | Johnston | 53.9 | 68.7 | 27.5 | 22.4 | 26.8 | 19.6 |
| | Vance | 59.8 | 67.7 | 13.2 | 16.9 | 18.2 | 7.7 |
| | Wake | 61.7 | 78.1 | 26.6 | 17.3 | 20.1 | 16.2 |
| | Warren | 79.3 | 90.7 | 14.4 | 17.4 | 19.7 | 13.2 |
| | TOTALS | 62.6 | 77.1 | 23.2 | 19.3 | 22.3 | 15.5 |

**Table 2. (continued) Average size of farms and cropland harvested per farm, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959**

| | | Average farm size | | | Avg. cropland harvested per farm | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | 1954 | 1959 | Percent chg. 1954-1959 | 1954 | 1959 | Percent chg. 1954-1959 |
| | | (acres) | | | (acres) | | |
| SENCLAND & SOUTHEASTERN | Bladen | 77.2 | 91.9 | 19.0 | 19.4 | 22.7 | 17.0 |
| | Brunswick | 72.8 | 71.9 | - 1.2 | 15.2 | 16.7 | 9.9 |
| | Columbus | 50.4 | 63.1 | 25.2 | 18.0 | 20.5 | 13.9 |
| | Duplin | 64.6 | 74.8 | 15.8 | 22.1 | 27.1 | 22.6 |
| | New Hanover | 67.0 | 85.7 | 27.9 | 18.7 | 24.8 | 32.6 |
| | Pender | 77.0 | 86.5 | 12.3 | 18.4 | 21.9 | 19.0 |
| | TOTALS | 64.8 | 75.2 | 16.0 | 19.2 | 22.6 | 17.7 |
| TAR HEEL | Robeson | 51.8 | 64.8 | 25.1 | 26.5 | 31.7 | 19.6 |
| | Scotland | 100.5 | 111.4 | 10.8 | 44.5 | 48.1 | 8.1 |
| | TOTALS | 58.3 | 70.4 | 20.8 | 28.9 | 33.6 | 16.3 |
| SANDHILLS | Hoke | 85.0 | 109.2 | 28.5 | 33.0 | 41.6 | 26.1 |
| | Lee | 72.3 | 82.7 | 14.4 | 16.0 | 18.7 | 16.9 |
| | Montgomery | 100.1 | 103.2 | 3.1 | 23.4 | 21.1 | - 9.8 |
| | Moore | 86.7 | 91.4 | 5.4 | 17.6 | 16.5 | - 6.2 |
| | Richmond | 91.0 | 117.6 | 29.2 | 25.0 | 27.4 | 9.6 |
| | TOTALS | 86.2 | 98.9 | 14.7 | 22.5 | 23.7 | 5.3 |
| PIEDMONT | Anson | 95.8 | 135.0 | 40.9 | 30.2 | 35.1 | 16.2 |
| | Cabarrus | 91.2 | 121.9 | 33.7 | 28.9 | 36.7 | 27.0 |
| | Catawba | 65.9 | 86.5 | 31.3 | 22.7 | 29.6 | 30.4 |
| | Cleveland | 54.5 | 66.8 | 22.6 | 22.8 | 25.0 | 9.6 |
| | Gaston | 74.3 | 94.6 | 27.3 | 20.6 | 25.4 | 23.3 |
| | Iredell | 81.5 | 96.3 | 18.2 | 26.1 | 29.0 | 11.1 |
| | Lincoln | 66.9 | 81.3 | 21.5 | 23.7 | 29.1 | 22.8 |
| | Mecklenburg | 71.6 | 98.9 | 38.1 | 21.4 | 26.4 | 23.4 |
| | Rowan | 75.2 | 97.7 | 29.9 | 26.5 | 33.5 | 26.4 |
| | Stanly | 77.6 | 91.3 | 17.7 | 29.6 | 34.7 | 17.2 |
| | Union | 76.6 | 91.3 | 19.2 | 26.8 | 31.4 | 17.2 |
| | TOTALS | 73.9 | 93.1 | 26.0 | 25.3 | 30.2 | 19.4 |
| NOT PARTICIPATING | Cumberland | 75.1 | 94.8 | 26.2 | 27.5 | 31.7 | 15.3 |
| | Sampson | 63.8 | 76.2 | 19.4 | 24.9 | 29.1 | 16.9 |
| | TOTALS | 67.2 | 81.7 | 21.6 | 25.7 | 29.8 | 16.0 |
| | North Carolina | 68.2 | 83.4 | 22.3 | 20.5 | 24.9 | 21.5 |

Figure 4. Percentage decrease in number of farms with less than 10 acres, 1954-1959

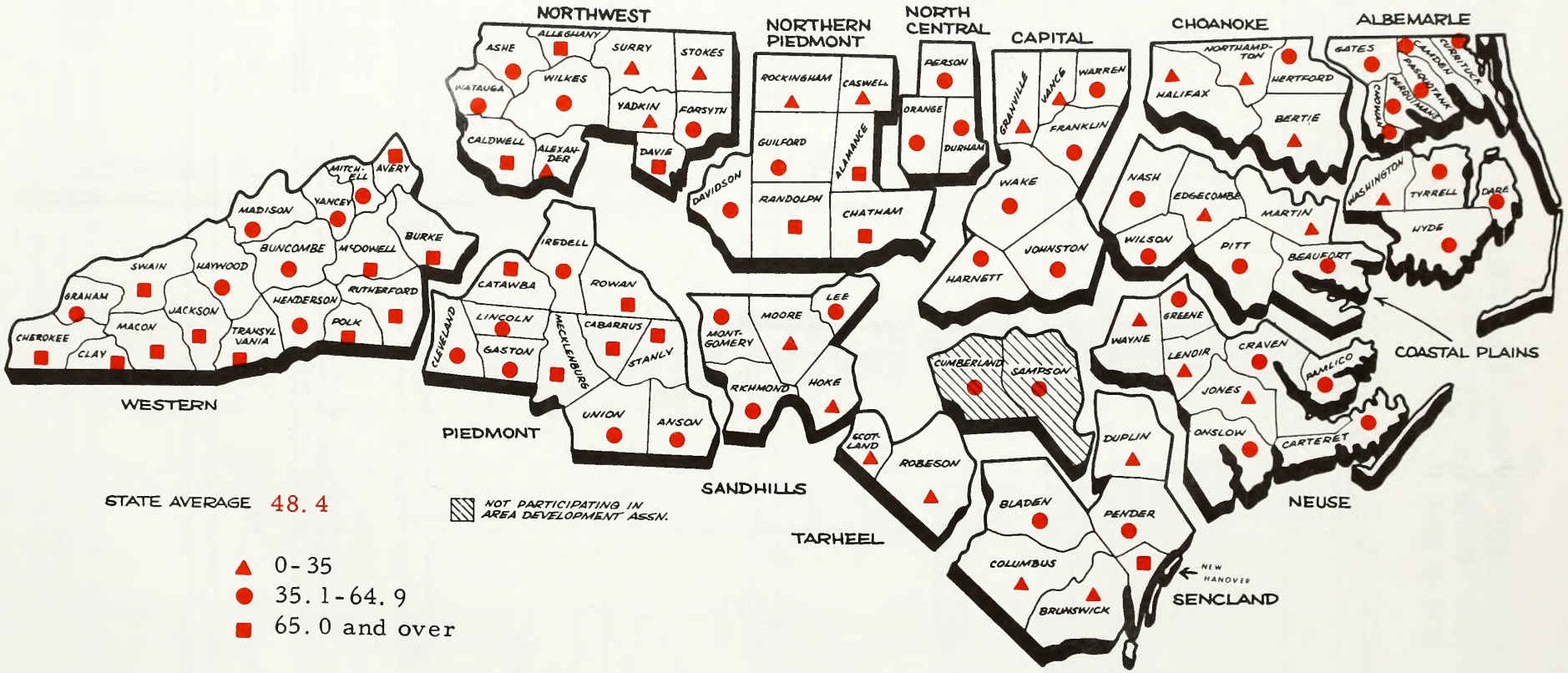


Figure 5. Percentage change in number of farms with 100 acres or more 1954-1959

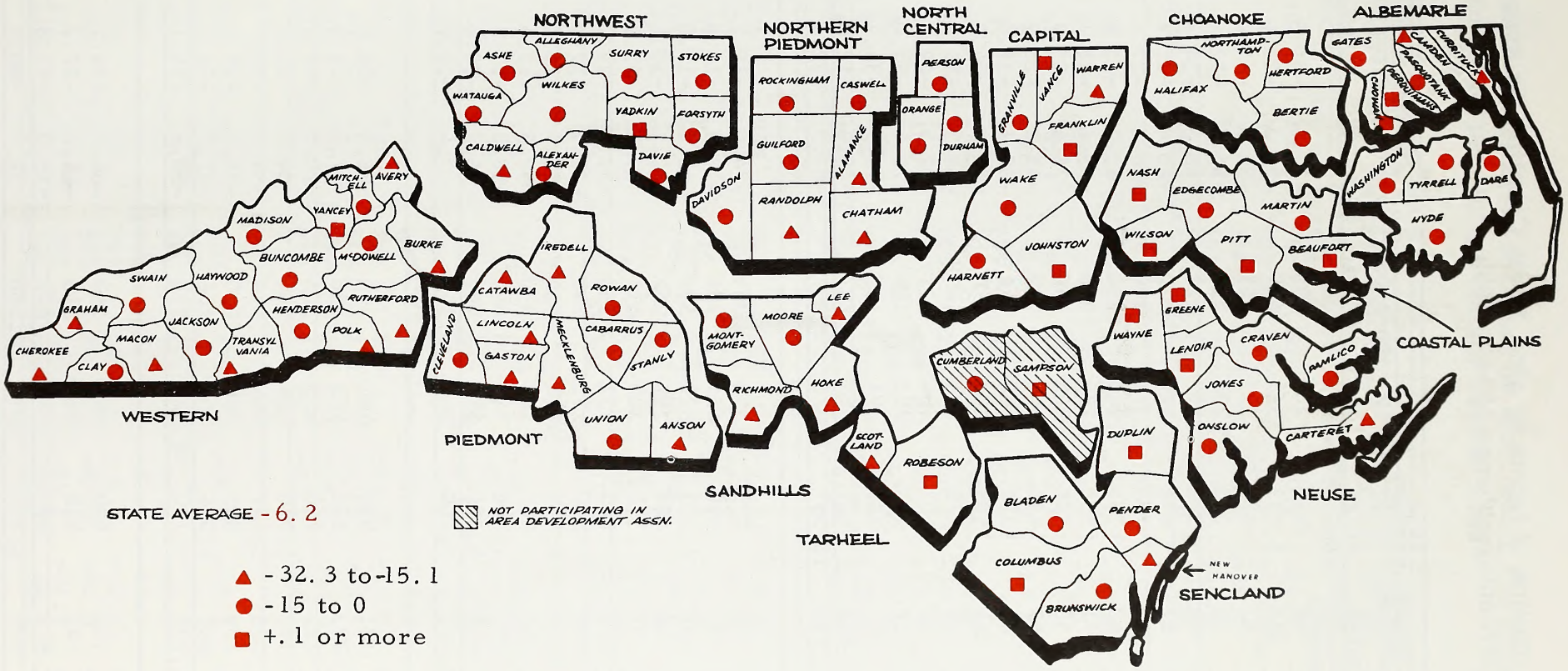


Table 3. Distribution of farms by size, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959

| | | 1959 | | | | PERCENT CHANGE 1954 - 1959 | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Less than 10 acres | 10-49 acres | 50-99 acres | 100 & Over acres | Less than 10 acres | 10-49 acres | 50-99 acres | 100 & Over acres |
| | | (No. of farms) | | | | (Percent) | | | |
| WESTERN | Avery | 44 | 443 | 202 | 135 | -81.4 | -44.8 | -33.6 | -19.2 |
| | Buncombe | 516 | 1,573 | 561 | 409 | -54.3 | -22.4 | -19.5 | - 9.5 |
| | Burke | 67 | 506 | 287 | 225 | -82.3 | -42.0 | -27.7 | -18.2 |
| | Cherokee | 34 | 323 | 235 | 233 | -85.6 | -52.8 | -37.5 | -31.7 |
| | Clay | 43 | 312 | 153 | 121 | -68.8 | -24.8 | -15.0 | - 7.6 |
| | Graham | 87 | 296 | 127 | 77 | -40.8 | -15.7 | -23.5 | -17.2 |
| | Haywood | 370 | 783 | 371 | 390 | -56.6 | -27.4 | -21.7 | - 5.3 |
| | Henderson | 160 | 744 | 240 | 224 | -62.2 | -22.8 | -31.6 | -13.8 |
| | Jackson | 71 | 558 | 290 | 218 | -73.6 | -38.1 | -29.3 | - 6.0 |
| | Macon | 56 | 588 | 309 | 250 | -75.4 | -35.9 | -30.4 | -18.3 |
| | Madison | 457 | 936 | 662 | 587 | -45.9 | -25.2 | -16.4 | - 1.0 |
| | McDowell | 43 | 352 | 190 | 194 | -83.1 | -38.6 | -29.6 | -14.2 |
| | Mitchell | 144 | 609 | 204 | 170 | -60.2 | -34.2 | -30.8 | - 5.6 |
| | Polk | 19 | 179 | 155 | 149 | -84.3 | -59.9 | -37.8 | -17.7 |
| | Rutherford | 80 | 707 | 484 | 417 | -72.3 | -49.2 | -36.8 | -27.2 |
| | Swain | 28 | 234 | 122 | 109 | -74.1 | -32.0 | -34.4 | - 9.2 |
| | Transylvania | 51 | 289 | 91 | 102 | -79.7 | -34.5 | -31.1 | -29.2 |
| | Yancey | 243 | 935 | 393 | 247 | -39.4 | -12.0 | -11.7 | + 1.2 |
| | TOTALS | 2,513 | 10,367 | 5,076 | 4,257 | -62.3 | -32.9 | -26.8 | -13.7 |
| NORTHWEST | Alleghany | 45 | 436 | 356 | 361 | -74.0 | -10.7 | - 9.4 | - 8.1 |
| | Alexander | 71 | 490 | 421 | 284 | -19.3 | -14.6 | -18.7 | -12.3 |
| | Ashe | 232 | 1,382 | 829 | 597 | -55.2 | -17.5 | -13.0 | - 1.6 |
| | Caldwell | 69 | 488 | 287 | 265 | -82.7 | -50.4 | -34.0 | -24.1 |
| | Davie | 76 | 352 | 300 | 411 | -67.5 | -29.9 | -19.8 | - 1.4 |
| | Forsyth | 271 | 863 | 537 | 360 | -52.6 | -29.0 | -26.2 | -12.6 |
| | Stokes | 481 | 983 | 932 | 741 | -20.2 | -27.8 | -15.2 | - .7 |
| | Surry | 443 | 1,317 | 973 | 664 | -32.1 | -26.5 | -15.1 | - 6.2 |
| | Watauga | 140 | 967 | 503 | 330 | -58.5 | -17.4 | -11.8 | - 5.7 |
| | Wilkes | 237 | 1,106 | 745 | 642 | -58.6 | -37.9 | -26.1 | -11.6 |
| | Yadkin | 410 | 1,016 | 657 | 485 | -26.1 | -23.0 | -19.1 | + 5.25 |
| | TOTALS | 2,475 | 9,400 | 6,540 | 5,140 | -47.4 | -26.9 | -18.6 | - 6.4 |
| NORTHERN PIEDMONT | Alamance | 137 | 596 | 464 | 561 | -66.8 | -36.6 | -34.4 | -18.6 |
| | Caswell | 323 | 672 | 463 | 826 | -17.4 | -31.3 | -25.0 | - 9.5 |
| | Chatham | 121 | 446 | 459 | 705 | -70.6 | -45.3 | -35.4 | -22.3 |
| | Davidson | 194 | 1,030 | 628 | 584 | -64.5 | -31.8 | -27.2 | - 8.9 |
| | Guilford | 325 | 1,147 | 804 | 744 | -54.5 | -39.1 | -23.6 | -14.4 |
| | Randolph | 136 | 805 | 748 | 950 | -65.7 | -26.8 | -21.3 | -16.2 |
| | Rockingham | 497 | 1,034 | 761 | 906 | -21.7 | -35.5 | -25.7 | - 2.2 |
| | TOTALS | 1,733 | 5,730 | 4,327 | 5,276 | -50.6 | -35.1 | -26.9 | -13.2 |
| NORTH CENTRAL | Durham | 114 | 399 | 249 | 261 | -64.0 | -39.7 | -27.8 | -12.4 |
| | Orange | 143 | 433 | 324 | 518 | -41.6 | -37.2 | -23.9 | -10.4 |
| | Person | 417 | 681 | 431 | 801 | -56.0 | -41.8 | -31.5 | - 5.0 |
| | TOTALS | 674 | 1,513 | 1,004 | 1,580 | -55.4 | -40.0 | -28.3 | - 8.1 |

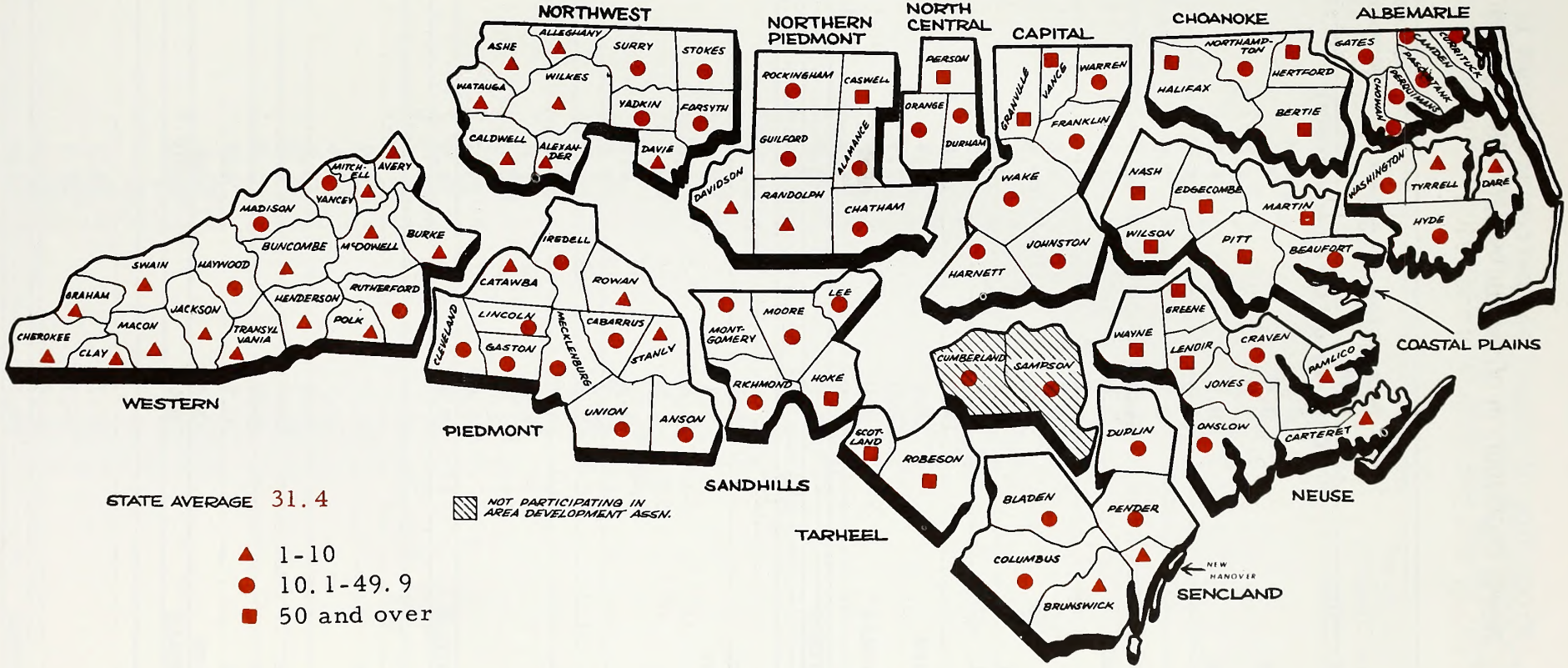
## Table 3. (continued) Distribution of farms by size, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959

| | | 1959 | | | | PERCENT CHANGE 1954 - 1959 | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Less than 10 acres | 10-49 acres | 50-99 acres | 100 & Over acres | Less than 10 acres | 10-49 acres | 50-99 acres | 100 & Over acres |
| | | (No. of farms) | | | | (Percent) | | | |
| CHOANOKE | Bertie | 164 | 1,143 | 561 | 579 | -20.8 | -29.7 | -21.9 | - 5.7 |
| | Halifax | 316 | 1,588 | 621 | 682 | -27.7 | -27.1 | -29.1 | - 9.3 |
| | Hertford | 68 | 566 | 339 | 338 | -43.8 | -28.1 | -27.9 | -11.7 |
| | Northampton | 151 | 813 | 561 | 593 | -25.6 | -40.6 | -20.9 | - 1.0 |
| | TOTALS | 699 | 4,110 | 2,082 | 2,192 | -27.8 | -31.0 | -24.9 | - 6.6 |
| ALBEMARLE | Camden | 54 | 71 | 60 | 135 | -38.6 | -29.0 | -25.0 | -18.7 |
| | Chowan | 67 | 223 | 147 | 207 | -57.1 | -35.5 | -21.8 | + 1.0 |
| | Currituck | 46 | 96 | 58 | 167 | -42.5 | -40.0 | -31.8 | -23.7 |
| | Dare | 8 | 10 | 1 | 2 | -42.9 | -41.2 | -83.3 | 0 |
| | Gates | 51 | 278 | 253 | 330 | -51.9 | -30.2 | -20.2 | - 4.3 |
| | Hyde | 37 | 131 | 90 | 184 | -39.3 | -31.4 | -29.1 | - 3.7 |
| | Pasquotank | 52 | 156 | 135 | 236 | -60.3 | -30.0 | -30.8 | - 2.5 |
| | Perquimans | 50 | 164 | 184 | 288 | -44.4 | -39.5 | -23.3 | + .3 |
| | Tyrrell | 31 | 142 | 92 | 109 | -43.6 | -33.3 | -15.6 | -10.7 |
| | Washington | 61 | 240 | 184 | 186 | -24.7 | -18.4 | -12.0 | - 1.6 |
| | TOTALS | 457 | 1,511 | 1,204 | 1,844 | -47.0 | -31.7 | -22.6 | - 6.3 |
| COASTAL PLAIN | Beaufort | 176 | 935 | 595 | 653 | -52.0 | -38.2 | -12.6 | + 3.0 |
| | Edgecombe | 226 | 1,476 | 497 | 527 | -23.1 | -31.3 | -31.8 | - 4.7 |
| | Martin | 199 | 958 | 572 | 514 | -11.6 | -31.8 | -17.7 | - 8.9 |
| | Nash | 318 | 2,235 | 789 | 672 | -39.2 | -34.7 | -18.2 | +22.0 |
| | Pitt | 200 | 1,991 | 932 | 803 | -44.9 | -44.2 | - 8.9 | +27.5 |
| | Wilson | 115 | 1,219 | 849 | 532 | -43.3 | -49.4 | -12.7 | +58.3 |
| | TOTALS | 1,234 | 8,814 | 4,234 | 3,701 | -37.5 | -39.1 | -16.4 | +13.2 |
| NEUSE | Carteret | 53 | 183 | 125 | 110 | -50.5 | -30.4 | - 6.7 | -19.1 |
| | Craven | 132 | 733 | 388 | 373 | -38.3 | -39.4 | -23.6 | -12.6 |
| | Greene | 76 | 1,135 | 506 | 325 | -57.1 | -42.8 | - 7.2 | +35.4 |
| | Jones | 87 | 422 | 256 | 318 | -21.6 | -43.4 | -18.2 | - 7.8 |
| | Lenoir | 161 | 1,098 | 610 | 560 | -32.6 | -46.6 | -14.6 | + 7.7 |
| | Onslow | 119 | 590 | 386 | 356 | -45.2 | -40.2 | -15.0 | -12.3 |
| | Pamlico | 49 | 152 | 110 | 155 | -57.8 | -49.3 | -21.4 | -14.8 |
| | Wayne | 238 | 1,500 | 1,039 | 741 | -18.5 | -42.2 | - 4.8 | +21.7 |
| | TOTALS | 915 | 5,813 | 3,420 | 2,938 | -37.9 | -42.7 | -12.3 | + 2.5 |
| CAPITAL | Franklin | 298 | 1,353 | 620 | 679 | -44.8 | -35.2 | -19.6 | + 4.5 |
| | Granville | 489 | 879 | 642 | 928 | - 6.1 | -25.7 | -29.4 | - 3.8 |
| | Harnett | 309 | 1,503 | 814 | 618 | -41.7 | -39.4 | -20.8 | - 4.0 |
| | Johnston | 360 | 2,611 | 1,669 | 1,022 | -35.7 | -42.0 | -12.8 | +20.7 |
| | Vance | 279 | 738 | 345 | 365 | - 4.5 | -22.5 | -32.1 | + 3.1 |
| | Wake | 408 | 1,611 | 863 | 861 | -45.6 | -44.0 | -30.6 | - 4.1 |
| | Warren | 237 | 839 | 402 | 485 | -35.1 | -37.2 | -29.5 | -18.6 |
| | TOTALS | 2,380 | 9,534 | 5,355 | 4,958 | -33.1 | -38.2 | -22.9 | + .1 |

Table 3. (continued) Distribution of farms by size, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959

| | | 1959 | | | | PERCENT CHANGE 1954 - 1959 | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Less than 10 acres | 10-49 acres | 50-99 acres | 100 & Over acres | Less than 10 acres | 10-49 acres | 50-99 acres | 100 & Over acres |
| | | (No. of farms) | | | | (Percent) | | | |
| SENCLAND & SOUTHEASTERN | Bladen | 274 | 1,224 | 569 | 614 | -41.1 | -33.5 | -14.4 | - 7.3 |
| | Brunswick | 192 | 789 | 319 | 305 | -34.9 | -19.6 | -14.9 | - 6.2 |
| | Columbus | 519 | 2,371 | 1,115 | 814 | -33.9 | -31.4 | + .6 | +16.0 |
| | Duplin | 409 | 2,047 | 988 | 898 | -29.0 | -32.7 | -13.7 | + 1.4 |
| | New Hanover | 42 | 105 | 25 | 37 | -65.6 | -36.4 | -30.6 | -30.2 |
| | Pender | 168 | 739 | 330 | 364 | -60.0 | -27.7 | -17.1 | -14.6 |
| | TOTALS | 1,604 | 7,275 | 3,346 | 3,032 | -39.8 | -30.8 | -10.2 | - .7 |
| TAR HEEL | Robeson | 449 | 3,239 | 1,364 | 910 | -28.7 | -38.7 | - 3.7 | +34.4 |
| | Scotland | 70 | 431 | 141 | 168 | - 4.1 | -36.3 | -42.0 | -32.3 |
| | TOTALS | 519 | 3,690 | 1,505 | 1,078 | -26.2 | -38.4 | - 9.3 | +16.5 |
| SANDHILLS | Hoke | 85 | 500 | 197 | 229 | -28.6 | -44.4 | -23.6 | -19.4 |
| | Lee | 92 | 409 | 308 | 255 | -46.8 | -36.9 | -15.6 | -18.8 |
| | Montgomery | 87 | 314 | 175 | 267 | -46.0 | -16.0 | - 1.1 | - 5.7 |
| | Moore | 196 | 726 | 497 | 515 | -29.5 | -24.8 | - 4.4 | - 8.8 |
| | Richmond | 114 | 391 | 176 | 249 | -45.2 | -47.9 | -39.9 | -22.2 |
| | TOTALS | 574 | 2,340 | 1,353 | 1,515 | -38.9 | -35.7 | -16.1 | -14.2 |
| PIEDMONT | Anson | 100 | 540 | 313 | 446 | -37.5 | -50.9 | -29.2 | -16.8 |
| | Cabarrus | 65 | 320 | 313 | 490 | -74.5 | -47.7 | -30.0 | -13.7 |
| | Catawba | 85 | 705 | 431 | 451 | -79.3 | -38.9 | -30.0 | -16.0 |
| | Cleveland | 297 | 1,479 | 729 | 579 | -38.1 | -40.3 | -32.1 | - 9.4 |
| | Gaston | 107 | 382 | 311 | 289 | -58.4 | -45.1 | -26.0 | -25.7 |
| | Iredell | 171 | 860 | 730 | 842 | -59.5 | -34.5 | -22.8 | -17.3 |
| | Lincoln | 132 | 628 | 410 | 388 | -54.3 | -35.7 | -32.0 | -16.6 |
| | Mecklenburg | 132 | 538 | 363 | 394 | -70.5 | -54.3 | -39.1 | -30.6 |
| | Rowan | 121 | 675 | 517 | 616 | -76.2 | -38.3 | -15.9 | -11.2 |
| | Stanly | 80 | 567 | 495 | 503 | -67.5 | -26.9 | -25.8 | - 9.4 |
| | Union | 155 | 1,153 | 882 | 897 | -59.8 | -32.5 | -31.2 | -13.6 |
| | TOTALS | 1,445 | 7,847 | 5,494 | 5,895 | -62.6 | -40.0 | -28.7 | -15.9 |
| NOT PARTICIPATING | Cumberland | 204 | 902 | 427 | 541 | -42.9 | -38.0 | -29.8 | - 6.9 |
| | Sampson | 380 | 2,266 | 1,245 | 1,090 | -48.2 | -34.5 | -19.5 | + .9 |
| | TOTALS | 584 | 3,168 | 1,672 | 1,631 | -46.5 | -35.6 | -22.4 | - 1.8 |
| | North Carolina | 17,806 | 81,112 | 46,612 | 45,037 | -48.4 | -35.6 | -21.5 | - 6.2 |

Figure 6. Tenancy as a percentage of total farm operators in 1959



## Table 4. Proportion of tenancy and percentage change in proportion, North Carolina, by area and county 1954 to 1959

| | | Proportion of tenancy | | Percentage change in proportion of tenancy |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | 1954 | 1959 | 1954 to 1959 |
| | | (percent of total operators) | | |
| WESTERN | Avery | 4.9 | 2.2 | -55.1 |
| | Buncombe | 8.6 | 8.1 | - 5.8 |
| | Burke | 7.7 | 4.6 | -40.3 |
| | Cherokee | 8.2 | 6.3 | -23.2 |
| | Clay | 10.6 | 6.7 | -36.8 |
| | Graham | 8.3 | 6.6 | -20.5 |
| | Haywood | 14.6 | 10.8 | -26.0 |
| | Henderson | 7.4 | 5.8 | -21.6 |
| | Jackson | 6.2 | 7.4 | +19.4 |
| | Macon | 6.2 | 4.8 | -22.6 |
| | Madison | 26.6 | 17.5 | -34.2 |
| | McDowell | 7.1 | 5.1 | -28.2 |
| | Mitchell | 5.6 | 6.5 | +16.1 |
| | Polk | 17.1 | 10.0 | -41.5 |
| | Rutherford | 18.8 | 11.5 | -38.8 |
| | Swain | 12.8 | 7.3 | -43.0 |
| | Transylvania | 9.0 | 6.9 | -23.3 |
| | Yancey | 12.8 | 11.3 | -11.7 |
| | TOTALS | 11.7 | 8.9 | -23.9 |
| NORTHWEST | Alleghany | 8.4 | 3.9 | -53.6 |
| | Alexander | 5.1 | 3.9 | -23.5 |
| | Ashe | 10.8 | 5.4 | -50.0 |
| | Caldwell | 6.9 | 3.2 | -53.6 |
| | Davie | 15.2 | 8.6 | -43.4 |
| | Forsyth | 18.3 | 18.0 | - 1.6 |
| | Stokes | 40.7 | 36.3 | -10.8 |
| | Surry | 33.1 | 24.8 | -25.1 |
| | Watauga | 8.0 | 1.0 | -87.5 |
| | Wilkes | 7.3 | 5.2 | -28.8 |
| | Yadkin | 27.4 | 23.3 | -15.0 |
| | TOTALS | 18.8 | 14.9 | -20.7 |
| NORTHERN PIEDMONT | Alamance | 21.7 | 20.9 | - 3.7 |
| | Caswell | 52.5 | 50.4 | - 4.0 |
| | Chatham | 20.3 | 13.8 | -32.0 |
| | Davidson | 10.4 | 6.2 | -40.4 |
| | Guilford | 23.2 | 21.1 | - 9.1 |
| | Randolph | 10.5 | 6.5 | -38.1 |
| | Rockingham | 46.3 | 43.1 | - 6.9 |
| | TOTALS | 26.4 | 24.0 | - 9.1 |
| NORTH CENTRAL | Durham | 39.7 | 33.1 | -16.6 |
| | Orange | 26.5 | 28.1 | + 6.0 |
| | Person | 64.8 | 57.2 | -11.7 |
| | TOTALS | 48.7 | 43.4 | -10.9 |

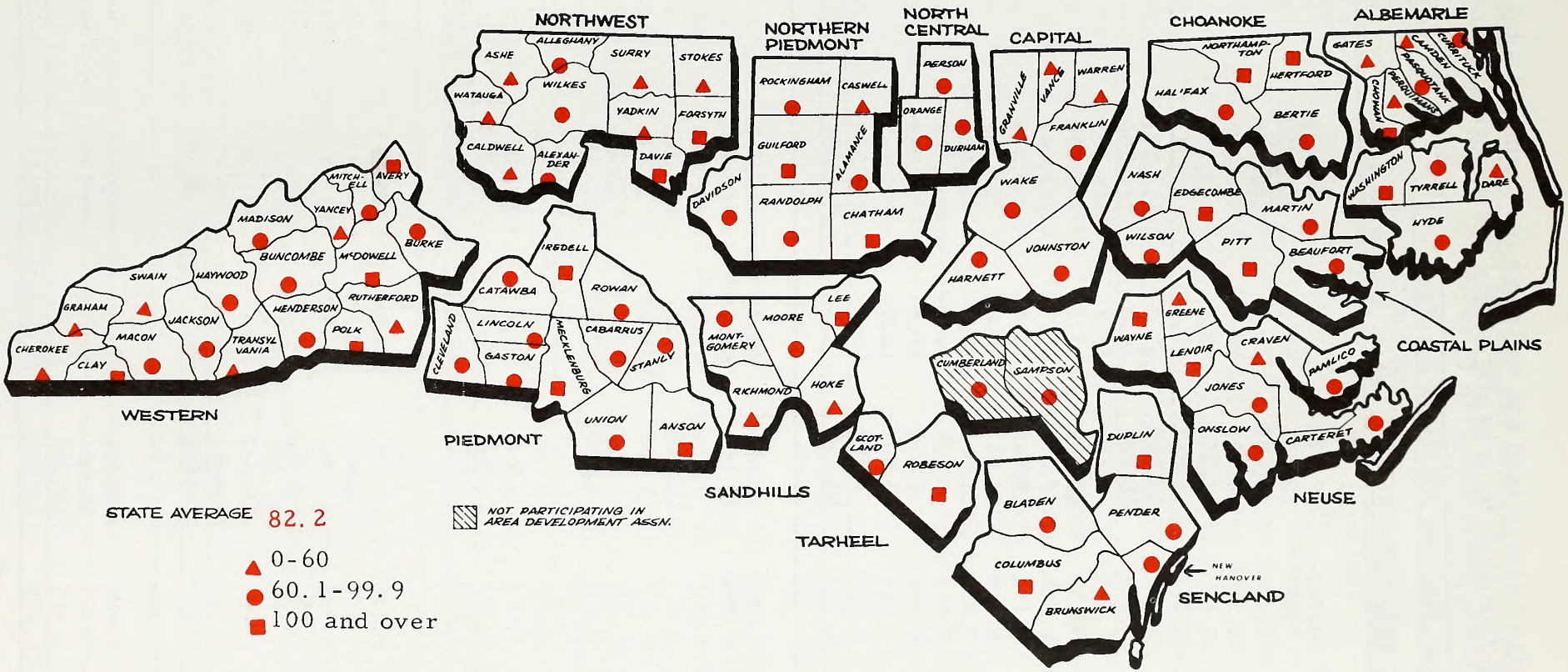
Table 4. (continued) Proportion of tenancy and percentage change in proportion, North Carolina, by area and county 1954 to 1959

| | | Proportion of tenancy 1954 | Proportion of tenancy 1959 | Percentage change in proportion of tenancy 1954 to 1959 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | (percent of total operators) | | |
| CHOANOKE | Bertie | 58.0 | 52.7 | - 9.1 |
| | Halifax | 59.6 | 56.0 | - 6.0 |
| | Hertford | 66.7 | 59.0 | -11.5 |
| | Northampton | 56.4 | 46.4 | -17.7 |
| | TOTALS | 59.5 | 53.3 | -10.4 |
| ALBEMARLE | Camden | 21.7 | 15.3 | -29.5 |
| | Chowan | 33.3 | 29.2 | -12.3 |
| | Currituck | 12.3 | 15.3 | +24.4 |
| | Dare | 7.7 | 4.8 | -37.7 |
| | Gates | 31.0 | 26.0 | -16.1 |
| | Hyde | 21.6 | 23.5 | + 8.8 |
| | Pasquotank | 24.0 | 16.4 | -31.7 |
| | Perquimans | 29.4 | 21.0 | -28.6 |
| | Tyrrell | 13.6 | 7.5 | -44.9 |
| | Washington | 31.0 | 25.3 | -18.4 |
| | TOTALS | 25.9 | 21.4 | -17.4 |
| COASTAL PLAIN | Beaufort | 34.0 | 24.6 | -27.6 |
| | Edgecombe | 79.1 | 74.1 | - 6.3 |
| | Martin | 62.8 | 56.8 | - 9.6 |
| | Nash | 68.5 | 61.9 | - 9.6 |
| | Pitt | 73.6 | 66.8 | - 9.2 |
| | Wilson | 75.2 | 68.0 | - 9.6 |
| | TOTALS | 67.2 | 60.2 | -10.4 |
| NEUSE | Carteret | 15.3 | 9.3 | -39.2 |
| | Craven | 40.6 | 29.2 | -28.1 |
| | Greene | 77.4 | 73.6 | - 4.9 |
| | Jones | 55.6 | 40.6 | -27.0 |
| | Lenoir | 68.3 | 57.0 | -16.5 |
| | Onslow | 33.2 | 26.5 | -20.2 |
| | Pamlico | 8.9 | 7.7 | -13.5 |
| | Wayne | 59.9 | 53.7 | -10.4 |
| | TOTALS | 54.9 | 47.1 | -14.2 |
| CAPITAL | Franklin | 57.8 | 49.8 | -13.8 |
| | Granville | 64.3 | 58.4 | - 9.2 |
| | Harnett | 47.4 | 35.6 | -24.9 |
| | Johnston | 55.7 | 47.2 | -15.3 |
| | Vance | 62.4 | 56.5 | - 9.5 |
| | Wake | 50.7 | 42.4 | -16.4 |
| | Warren | 46.2 | 42.9 | - 7.1 |
| | TOTALS | 54.4 | 46.9 | -13.8 |

Table 4. (continued) Proportion of tenancy and percentage change in proportion, North Carolina, by area and county 1954 to 1959

| | | Proportion of tenancy | | Percentage change in proportion of tenancy |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | 1954 | 1959 | 1954 to 1959 |
| | | (percent of total operators) | | |
| SENCLAND & SOUTHEASTERN | Bladen | 27.4 | 23.2 | -15.3 |
| | Brunswick | 15.1 | 9.9 | -34.4 |
| | Columbus | 34.3 | 25.2 | -26.5 |
| | Duplin | 41.5 | 30.2 | -27.2 |
| | New Hanover | 12.5 | 7.7 | -38.4 |
| | Pender | 16.6 | 12.4 | -25.3 |
| | TOTALS | 30.8 | 23.1 | -25.0 |
| TAR Heel | Robeson | 67.0 | 59.0 | -11.9 |
| | Scotland | 66.1 | 57.9 | -12.4 |
| | TOTALS | 66.9 | 58.9 | -12.0 |
| SANDHILLS | Hoke | 56.5 | 51.1 | - 9.6 |
| | Lee | 31.7 | 26.3 | -17.0 |
| | Montgomery | 23.7 | 16.7 | -29.5 |
| | Moore | 21.3 | 15.9 | -25.4 |
| | Richmond | 35.3 | 27.4 | -22.4 |
| | TOTALS | 33.2 | 25.9 | -22.0 |
| PIEDMONT | Anson | 43.3 | 28.6 | -33.9 |
| | Cabarrus | 18.1 | 12.1 | -33.1 |
| | Catawba | 9.1 | 7.1 | -22.0 |
| | Cleveland | 43.0 | 35.2 | -18.1 |
| | Gaston | 14.2 | 11.1 | -21.8 |
| | Iredell | 18.2 | 12.7 | -30.2 |
| | Lincoln | 20.8 | 15.5 | -25.5 |
| | Mecklenburg | 23.7 | 17.5 | -26.2 |
| | Rowan | 13.0 | 6.5 | -50.0 |
| | Stanly | 12.5 | 6.3 | -49.6 |
| | Union | 28.8 | 18.6 | -35.4 |
| | TOTALS | 23.9 | 16.9 | -29.3 |
| NOT PARTICIPATING | Cumberland | 36.0 | 29.5 | -18.1 |
| | Sampson | 44.7 | 37.1 | -17.0 |
| | TOTALS | 42.0 | 34.8 | -17.1 |
| | NORTH CAROLINA | 36.9 | 31.4 | -14.9 |

Figure 7. Percentage change in average value of land and buildings per farm, 1954-1959



## Table 5. Average value of land and buildings per farm and total land in farms, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959

| | Average value land and buildings per farm | | | Total land in farms | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 1954 | 1959 | Percent chg. 1954-1959 | 1954 | 1959 | Percent chg. 1954-1959 |
| | (dollars) | | | (acres) | | |
| **WESTERN** | | | | | | |
| Avery | 4,761 | 9,938 | 108.7 | 84,432 | 56,822 | -32.7 |
| Buncombe | 7,521 | 12,441 | 65.4 | 203,910 | 182,653 | -10.4 |
| Burke | 6,704 | 12,488 | 86.3 | 114,209 | 87,462 | -23.4 |
| Cherokee | 4,522 | 6,823 | 50.9 | 116,487 | 79,693 | -31.6 |
| Clay | 3,672 | 9,273 | 152.5 | 48,313 | 43,005 | -11.0 |
| Graham | 4,377 | 6,892 | 57.5 | 37,211 | 30,388 | -18.3 |
| Haywood | 9,167 | 16,780 | 83.0 | 157,287 | 144,728 | - 8.0 |
| Henderson | 10,187 | 18,987 | 86.4 | 123,566 | 97,314 | -21.2 |
| Jackson | 4,641 | 8,481 | 82.7 | 148,505 | 81,519 | -45.1 |
| Macon | 6,133 | 10,282 | 67.7 | 115,000 | 87,260 | -24.1 |
| Madison | 4,566 | 7,473 | 63.7 | 211,097 | 191,859 | - 9.1 |
| McDowell | 5,754 | 13,842 | 140.6 | 92,378 | 65,030 | -29.6 |
| Mitchell | 4,756 | 8,017 | 68.6 | 82,162 | 64,438 | -21.6 |
| Polk | 7,010 | 16,041 | 128.8 | 70,589 | 52,299 | -25.9 |
| Rutherford | 5,562 | 8,026 | 44.3 | 208,788 | 144,890 | -30.6 |
| Swain | 4,449 | 5,479 | 23.2 | 46,368 | 39,267 | -15.3 |
| Transylvania | 9,485 | 10,903 | 14.9 | 53,962 | 36,728 | -31.9 |
| Yancey | 5,225 | 7,590 | 45.3 | 119,570 | 102,217 | -14.5 |
| TOTALS | 6,240 | 10,754 | 72.3 | 2,033,834 | 1,587,572 | -21.9 |
| **NORTHWEST** | | | | | | |
| Alleghany | 7,045 | 12,694 | 80.2 | 120,659 | 111,390 | - 7.7 |
| Alexander | 6,080 | 10,090 | 66.0 | 112,700 | 101,237 | -10.2 |
| Ashe | 6,835 | 9,702 | 41.9 | 231,569 | 219,688 | - 5.1 |
| Caldwell | 8,342 | 11,749 | 40.8 | 133,113 | 94,337 | -29.1 |
| Davie | 7,643 | 15,706 | 105.5 | 125,975 | 124,350 | - 1.3 |
| Forsyth | 12,202 | 24,882 | 103.9 | 159,464 | 130,077 | -18.4 |
| Stokes | 6,505 | 9,938 | 52.8 | 250,409 | 223,321 | -10.8 |
| Surry | 7,359 | 11,349 | 54.2 | 263,726 | 241,973 | - 8.2 |
| Watauga | 6,780 | 10,020 | 47.8 | 142,269 | 123,001 | -13.5 |
| Wilkes | 5,074 | 9,941 | 95.9 | 268,047 | 221,212 | -17.5 |
| Yadkin | 8,360 | 10,840 | 29.7 | 176,270 | 165,528 | - 6.1 |
| TOTALS | 7,409 | 12,018 | 62.2 | 1,984,201 | 1,756,114 | -11.5 |
| **NORTH CENTRAL NORTHERN PIEDMONT** | | | | | | |
| Alamance | 7,234 | 14,387 | 98.9 | 201,595 | 159,801 | -20.7 |
| Caswell | 6,428 | 8,914 | 38.7 | 246,734 | 222,438 | - 9.8 |
| Chatham | 5,739 | 15,810 | 175.5 | 277,853 | 216,391 | -22.1 |
| Davidson | 7,581 | 14,443 | 90.5 | 226,737 | 191,376 | -15.6 |
| Guilford | 10,193 | 21,198 | 108.0 | 290,335 | 239,638 | -17.5 |
| Randolph | 6,691 | 11,631 | 73.8 | 321,853 | 266,546 | -17.2 |
| Rockingham | 7,735 | 13,041 | 68.6 | 286,259 | 267,867 | - 6.4 |
| TOTALS | 7,570 | 14,334 | 89.4 | 1,851,366 | 1,564,057 | -15.5 |
| Durham | 9,408 | 16,326 | 73.5 | 110,548 | 91,743 | -17.0 |
| Orange | 7,273 | 14,451 | 98.7 | 165,902 | 145,968 | -12.0 |
| Person | 5,763 | 10,245 | 77.8 | 232,733 | 217,198 | - 6.7 |
| TOTALS | 6,999 | 12,799 | 82.9 | 509,183 | 454,909 | -10.7 |

Table 5. (continued) Average value of land and buildings per farm and total land in farms, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959

| | Average value land and buildings per farm | | | Total land in farms | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 1954 | 1959 | Percent chg. 1954-1959 | 1954 | 1959 | Percent chg. 1954-1959 |
| | (dollars) | | | (acres) | | |
| CHOANOKE | | | | | | |
| Bertie | 9,208 | 17,498 | 90.0 | 264,595 | 227,569 | -14.0 |
| Halifax | 7,330 | 13,462 | 83.7 | 361,969 | 326,847 | - 9.7 |
| Hertford | 7,042 | 15,349 | 118.0 | 133,783 | 113,803 | -14.9 |
| Northampton | 7,505 | 15,294 | 103.8 | 270,035 | 245,106 | - 9.2 |
| TOTALS | 7,823 | 15,249 | 94.9 | 1,030,382 | 913,325 | -11.4 |
| ALBEMARLE | | | | | | |
| Camden | 13,731 | 15,541 | 13.2 | 58,089 | 51,712 | -11.0 |
| Chowan | 8,165 | 19,550 | 139.4 | 72,311 | 67,945 | - 6.0 |
| Currituck | 12,082 | 21,503 | 78.0 | 80,624 | 66,542 | -17.5 |
| Dare | 2,133 | 2,850 | 33.6 | 1,141 | 667 | -41.5 |
| Gates | 10,152 | 14,042 | 38.3 | 115,743 | 98,401 | -15.0 |
| Hyde | 8,355 | 16,452 | 96.9 | 70,756 | 79,530 | 12.4 |
| Pasquotank | 13,342 | 23,347 | 75.0 | 73,515 | 71,196 | - 3.2 |
| Perquimans | 12,314 | 17,384 | 41.2 | 88,211 | 87,611 | - .7 |
| Tyrrell | 5,225 | 9,355 | 79.0 | 40,709 | 37,641 | - 7.5 |
| Washington | 10,015 | 23,262 | 132.3 | 71,766 | 107,938 | 50.4 |
| TOTALS | 10,359 | 17,971 | 73.5 | 672,865 | 669,183 | - .5 |
| COASTAL PLAIN | | | | | | |
| Beaufort | 9,499 | 17,022 | 79.2 | 262,570 | 245,766 | - 6.4 |
| Edgecombe | 9,935 | 20,085 | 102.2 | 271,017 | 261,636 | - 3.5 |
| Martin | 11,905 | 21,404 | 79.8 | 197,558 | 190,287 | - 3.7 |
| Nash | 8,788 | 14,685 | 67.1 | 284,368 | 277,426 | - 2.4 |
| Pitt | 12,589 | 30,151 | 139.5 | 293,312 | 304,500 | 3.8 |
| Wilson | 14,236 | 23,750 | 66.8 | 193,762 | 190,678 | - 1.6 |
| TOTALS | 11,134 | 21,393 | 92.1 | 1,502,587 | 1,470,293 | - 2.1 |
| NEUSE | | | | | | |
| Carteret | 10,247 | 18,029 | 75.9 | 76,205 | 47,008 | -38.3 |
| Craven | 10,078 | 13,972 | 38.6 | 173,510 | 142,559 | -17.8 |
| Greene | 13,790 | 21,605 | 56.7 | 136,355 | 122,323 | -10.3 |
| Jones | 8,742 | 15,270 | 74.7 | 130,425 | 105,114 | -19.4 |
| Lenoir | 12,357 | 25,553 | 106.8 | 216,906 | 202,180 | - 6.8 |
| Onslow | 7,688 | 14,973 | 94.8 | 148,545 | 118,907 | -20.0 |
| Pamlico | 8,193 | 15,577 | 90.1 | 68,547 | 61,781 | - 9.9 |
| Wayne | 10,372 | 20,750 | 100.1 | 272,209 | 258,955 | - 4.9 |
| TOTALS | 10,736 | 19,557 | 82.2 | 1,222,702 | 1,058,827 | -13.4 |
| CAPITAL | | | | | | |
| Franklin | 6,894 | 12,460 | 80.7 | 245,264 | 227,496 | - 7.2 |
| Granville | 6,718 | 9,638 | 43.5 | 284,056 | 274,929 | - 3.2 |
| Harnett | 9,991 | 17,933 | 79.5 | 273,695 | 235,178 | -14.1 |
| Johnston | 9,620 | 16,043 | 66.8 | 421,737 | 388,977 | - 7.8 |
| Vance | 7,485 | 10,668 | 42.5 | 125,940 | 116,993 | - 7.1 |
| Wake | 9,792 | 17,265 | 76.3 | 355,926 | 292,418 | -17.8 |
| Warren | 6,396 | 9,402 | 47.0 | 227,296 | 178,105 | -21.6 |
| TOTALS | 8,570 | 14,198 | 65.7 | 1,933,914 | 1,714,096 | -11.4 |

Table 5. (continued) Average value of land and buildings per farm and total land in farms, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959

| | Average value land and buildings per farm | | | Total land in farms | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 1954 | 1959 | Percent chg. 1954-1959 | 1954 | 1959 | Percent chg. 1954-1959 |
| | (dollars) | | | (acres) | | |
| SENCLAND & SOUTHEASTERN | | | | | | |
| Bladen | 5,978 | 11,395 | 90.6 | 280,331 | 246,423 | -12.1 |
| Brunswick | 5,775 | 8,838 | 53.0 | 143,782 | 115,384 | -19.8 |
| Columbus | 7,093 | 14,797 | 108.6 | 305,149 | 304,035 | - .4 |
| Duplin | 6,766 | 14,238 | 110.4 | 364,875 | 324,829 | -11.0 |
| New Hanover | 11,504 | 21,392 | 86.0 | 25,177 | 17,912 | -28.9 |
| Pender | 5,949 | 11,117 | 86.9 | 174,395 | 138,542 | -20.6 |
| TOTALS | 6,620 | 13,117 | 98.1 | 1,293,709 | 1,147,125 | -11.3 |
| TAR HEEL | | | | | | |
| Robeson | 6,976 | 14,758 | 111.6 | 415,966 | 387,700 | - 6.8 |
| Scotland | 6,312 | 11,940 | 89.2 | 124,712 | 90,200 | -27.7 |
| TOTALS | 6,887 | 14,422 | 109.4 | 540,678 | 477,900 | -11.6 |
| SANDHILLS | | | | | | |
| Hoke | 7,765 | 12,119 | 56.1 | 132,584 | 110,403 | -16.7 |
| Lee | 7,833 | 16,719 | 113.4 | 108,411 | 88,041 | -18.8 |
| Montgomery | 4,787 | 9,246 | 93.1 | 99,634 | 87,006 | -12.7 |
| Moore | 6,287 | 11,284 | 79.5 | 201,748 | 176,703 | -12.4 |
| Richmond | 6,331 | 10,034 | 58.5 | 143,072 | 109,414 | -23.5 |
| TOTALS | 6,689 | 11,932 | 78.4 | 685,449 | 571,567 | -16.6 |
| PIEDMONT | | | | | | |
| Anson | 5,184 | 11,359 | 119.1 | 214,291 | 188,819 | -11.9 |
| Cabarrus | 8,866 | 15,204 | 71.5 | 171,560 | 144,822 | -15.6 |
| Catawba | 8,383 | 15,312 | 82.7 | 179,041 | 144,630 | -19.2 |
| Cleveland | 7,013 | 12,631 | 80.1 | 254,654 | 206,087 | -19.1 |
| Gaston | 11,704 | 18,961 | 62.0 | 130,998 | 102,984 | -21.4 |
| Iredell | 7,387 | 16,691 | 126.0 | 301,311 | 250,786 | -16.8 |
| Lincoln | 6,554 | 11,948 | 82.3 | 156,078 | 126,667 | -18.8 |
| Mecklenburg | 13,768 | 38,278 | 178.0 | 199,688 | 141,165 | -29.3 |
| Rowan | 9,858 | 16,294 | 65.3 | 219,005 | 188,436 | -14.0 |
| Stanly | 7,850 | 13,333 | 69.8 | 174,234 | 150,142 | -13.8 |
| Union | 7,322 | 12,149 | 65.9 | 338,377 | 281,819 | -16.7 |
| TOTALS | 8,341 | 15,798 | 89.4 | 2,339,237 | 1,926,357 | -17.7 |
| NOT PARTICIPATING | | | | | | |
| Cumberland | 7,775 | 13,919 | 79.0 | 225,319 | 196,617 | -12.7 |
| Sampson | 7,431 | 13,236 | 78.1 | 434,920 | 379,782 | -12.7 |
| TOTALS | 7,536 | 13,437 | 78.3 | 660,239 | 576,399 | -12.7 |
| North Carolina | 8,059 | 14,685 | 82.2 | 18,260,346 | 15,887,724 | -13.0 |

# Table 6. Selected farm expenses, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959

| | | Hired labor | | Fuel | | Feed | | Machine hire | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | 1959 | Percent chg. 1954-1959 | 1959 | Percent chg. 1954-1959 | 1959 | Percent chg. 1954-1959 | 1959 | Percent chg. 1954-1959 |
| | | (dollars) | | (dollars) | | (dollars) | | (dollars) | |
| WESTERN | Avery | 155,065 | 68.3 | 52,580 | 76.9 | 145,850 | - 22.1 | 21,475 | 7.6 |
| | Buncombe | 695,995 | 32.7 | 247,666 | 61.5 | 2,677,590 | 7.3 | 101,535 | - 19.1 |
| | Burke | 204,305 | 53.0 | 122,645 | 61.3 | 702,670 | 50.6 | 39,250 | - 46.2 |
| | Cherokee | 144,395 | 18.0 | 70,625 | 94.6 | 1,195,004 | 68.2 | 27,940 | - 12.1 |
| | Clay | 82,795 | 8.8 | 44,745 | 33.9 | 1,634,930 | 214.2 | 17,960 | 62.7 |
| | Graham | 13,555 | - 30.7 | 23,180 | 191.6 | 90,675 | - 10.6 | 6,405 | - 32.6 |
| | Haywood | 574,475 | 206.5 | 168,650 | 127.2 | 978,898 | 86.2 | 62,680 | - 15.8 |
| | Henderson | 1,242,055 | 142.6 | 339,930 | 66.5 | 1,211,514 | 101.5 | 142,005 | 107.8 |
| | Jackson | 99,135 | 79.0 | 81,605 | 179.8 | 172,610 | - 35.2 | 28,935 | - 25.7 |
| | Macon | 154,425 | 41.9 | 101,360 | 229.1 | 487,390 | .2 | 59,675 | 7.6 |
| | Madison | 137,735 | 20.8 | 132,510 | 83.1 | 409,230 | - 20.0 | 38,160 | - 15.7 |
| | McDowell | 69,291 | 58.3 | 52,430 | 3.3 | 193,780 | - 13.5 | 15,930 | - 63.6 |
| | Mitchell | 102,740 | 77.8 | 38,235 | 48.5 | 534,990 | 43.2 | 13,345 | - .9 |
| | Polk | 135,080 | 31.5 | 63,245 | 3.8 | 530,210 | 9.7 | 27,330 | 18.9 |
| | Rutherford | 171,125 | 1.7 | 144,605 | - 10.5 | 616,405 | - 20.5 | 155,130 | 16.8 |
| | Swain | 20,165 | 59.5 | 17,150 | 146.1 | 83,505 | - 12.5 | 7,360 | 29.9 |
| | Transylvania | 56,545 | - 42.7 | 42,390 | - 26.8 | 206,450 | - 20.5 | 18,565 | - 27.3 |
| | Yancey | 95,165 | 19.5 | 72,713 | 145.5 | 235,890 | 22.5 | 25,375 | - 9.8 |
| | Totals | 4,154,046 | 65.5 | 1,816,264 | 59.2 | 12,107,591 | 30.5 | 809,055 | - 2.0 |
| NORTHWEST | Alleghany | 138,590 | 2.9 | 104,110 | 57.9 | 564,155 | 38.2 | 56,345 | 4.5 |
| | Alexander | 176,080 | 202.0 | 177,680 | 35.1 | 1,268,450 | 293.1 | 67,075 | 22.6 |
| | Ashe | 266,248 | - 22.3 | 139,553 | 67.0 | 654,662 | 40.2 | 81,407 | - 14.3 |
| | Caldwell | 135,602 | - 50.8 | 112,162 | - 21.5 | 672,212 | - 38.5 | 36,920 | - 13.8 |
| | Davie | 240,089 | 55.5 | 254,445 | 34.8 | 693,035 | 91.1 | 141,070 | 72.4 |
| | Forsyth | 604,146 | 53.7 | 374,290 | 20.2 | 1,489,815 | 89.3 | 119,295 | - 28.0 |
| | Stokes | 412,705 | 52.9 | 554,295 | 80.0 | 747,260 | 29.5 | 226,407 | 23.2 |
| | Surry | 766,542 | 1.9 | 628,560 | 17.7 | 1,722,323 | 135.0 | 249,570 | 24.8 |
| | Watauga | 154,940 | 85.8 | 96,790 | 122.1 | 839,095 | 109.0 | 37,495 | 54.7 |
| | Wilkes | 524,169 | 120.7 | 244,021 | 33.7 | 5,832,085 | 52.7 | 115,690 | 12.7 |
| | Yadkin | 523,435 | 65.0 | 529,120 | 10.0 | 911,440 | 57.4 | 258,575 | 18.8 |
| | Totals | 3,942,546 | 30.6 | 3,215,026 | 30.0 | 15,394,532 | 61.2 | 1,389,849 | 13.7 |
| NORTH CENTRAL NORTHERN PIEDMONT | Alamance | 396,220 | 18.4 | 317,260 | - 4.6 | 1,081,865 | 31.4 | 83,129 | - 26.9 |
| | Caswell | 326,490 | 35.0 | 418,992 | 16.0 | 365,595 | 35.5 | 158,535 | - 6.3 |
| | Chatham | 461,635 | 37.7 | 344,035 | 19.5 | 5,696,270 | 40.5 | 100,809 | - 17.6 |
| | Davidson | 603,060 | 58.6 | 453,825 | 30.1 | 1,115,825 | 16.8 | 129,208 | - 18.9 |
| | Guilford | 1,248,655 | 84.4 | 765,037 | 40.2 | 1,714,185 | 25.9 | 220,110 | - 12.7 |
| | Randolph | 475,305 | 48.9 | 466,209 | 20.6 | 4,181,342 | 32.1 | 134,498 | - 19.0 |
| | Rockingham | 726,580 | 23.8 | 614,839 | 34.1 | 1,078,314 | 40.5 | 205,090 | 12.6 |
| | Totals | 4,237,945 | 47.4 | 3,380,197 | 24.2 | 15,233,396 | 33.7 | 1,031,379 | - 11.5 |
| | Durham | 374,105 | 24.8 | 215,331 | 49.7 | 574,475 | 14.5 | 69,127 | 10.9 |
| | Orange | 478,109 | 120.8 | 395,760 | 40.2 | 1,671,010 | 38.2 | 107,585 | 37.9 |
| | Person | 499,275 | 86.6 | 553,130 | 50.6 | 1,470,420 | 212.6 | 173,750 | 36.7 |
| | Totals | 1,351,489 | 72.4 | 1,164,221 | 46.8 | 3,715,905 | 70.4 | 350,462 | 31.0 |

Table 6. (continued) Selected farm expenses, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959

| | | Hired labor | | Fuel | | Feed | | Machine hire | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | 1959 | Percent chg. 1954-1959 | 1959 | Percent chg. 1954-1959 | 1959 | Percent chg. 1954-1959 | 1959 | Percent chg. 1954-1959 |
| | | (dollars) | | (dollars) | | (dollars) | | (dollars) | |
| CHOANOKE | Bertie | 981,551 | 18.0 | 741,295 | 28.1 | 711,045 | 15.4 | 322,073 | 13.6 |
| | Halifax | 1,479,096 | 7.6 | 848,791 | 20.0 | 553,297 | 13.8 | 510,922 | 30.9 |
| | Hertford | 642,450 | 112.0 | 417,082 | 86.1 | 350,560 | 43.4 | 203,338 | 31.7 |
| | Northampton | 978,569 | 49.7 | 562,422 | 33.9 | 440,195 | 2.9 | 367,177 | .8 |
| | Totals | 4,081,666 | 29.0 | 2,569,590 | 33.1 | 2,055,097 | 15.8 | 1,403,510 | 17.7 |
| ALBEMARLE | Camden | 136,755 | -57.1 | 90,455 | -41.5 | 113,145 | -34.1 | 51,610 | -13.5 |
| | Chowan | 680,282 | 89.0 | 274,076 | 33.2 | 292,890 | -46.1 | 155,232 | 17.3 |
| | Currituck | 455,475 | 12.9 | 153,319 | - 6.4 | 302,622 | - .8 | 55,726 | -14.6 |
| | Dare | 0 | -100.0 | 250 | -65.5 | 6,000 | 144.9 | 0 | -100.0 |
| | Gates | 350,115 | 87.0 | 255,910 | 16.2 | 670,825 | 40.2 | 144,785 | 21.3 |
| | Hyde | 264,385 | 84.9 | 162,525 | 8.6 | 186,200 | 57.8 | 126,910 | 166.4 |
| | Pasquotank | 396,981 | 62.9 | 289,041 | 67.4 | 315,171 | 5.6 | 151,628 | 90.6 |
| | Perquimans | 238,855 | -31.3 | 231,225 | -13.2 | 362,740 | - | 164,713 | 16.9 |
| | Tyrrell | 108,710 | 61.8 | 90,925 | 85.3 | 162,681 | 4.0 | 22,790 | -49.0 |
| | Washington | 380,685 | 10.3 | 263,942 | 32.5 | 242,103 | 44.6 | 160,165 | 64.4 |
| | Totals | 3,012,243 | 24.7 | 1,811,668 | 14.5 | 2,654,377 | 1.9 | 1,033,559 | 31.2 |
| COASTAL PLAIN | Beaufort | 1,658,335 | -21.6 | 1,058,754 | - 3.4 | 1,070,923 | 139.0 | 350,101 | -15.8 |
| | Edgecombe | 2,027,433 | 28.0 | 1,108,468 | 38.0 | 861,774 | 140.0 | 442,950 | 79.0 |
| | Martin | 1,441,120 | 16.5 | 830,903 | 22.2 | 840,271 | 22.1 | 379,885 | 12.2 |
| | Nash | 2,070,740 | 29.6 | 1,181,270 | 17.8 | 1,144,127 | 99.5 | 383,185 | 41.5 |
| | Pitt | 3,574,039 | 27.7 | 1,805,687 | 35.2 | 1,178,262 | 137.2 | 559,957 | 51.5 |
| | Wilson | 2,298,815 | 19.6 | 1,024,810 | 30.2 | 671,810 | 70.0 | 350,024 | 90.7 |
| | Totals | 13,070,482 | 16.1 | 7,009,892 | 22.9 | 5,767,167 | 94.8 | 2,466,102 | 35.1 |
| NEUSE | Carteret | 481,420 | -18.0 | 172,563 | 8.6 | 349,900 | 40.6 | 18,465 | -22.2 |
| | Craven | 1,132,655 | 1.8 | 797,880 | 27.0 | 589,975 | 28.6 | 148,270 | - 9.6 |
| | Greene | 1,254,745 | 3.5 | 669,990 | -16.4 | 580,055 | 105.2 | 232,650 | 43.1 |
| | Jones | 606,391 | -29.1 | 471,076 | .3 | 313,685 | 18.1 | 56,945 | -47.1 |
| | Lenoir | 1,936,400 | -11.3 | 1,199,218 | 15.5 | 563,126 | -26.9 | 251,963 | 38.7 |
| | Onslow | 731,876 | -15.1 | 494,735 | 11.3 | 825,741 | 117.9 | 111,685 | -21.1 |
| | Pamlico | 407,490 | -31.2 | 253,045 | 20.6 | 447,031 | - 2.1 | 60,676 | 23.8 |
| | Wayne | 2,370,300 | 12.9 | 1,484,241 | 13.4 | 1,590,335 | 57.3 | 473,210 | 99.9 |
| | Totals | 8,921,277 | - 6.1 | 5,542,748 | 9.5 | 5,259,848 | 35.8 | 1,353,864 | 26.9 |
| CAPITAL | Franklin | 958,986 | 29.1 | 640,346 | 6.7 | 494,109 | 16.6 | 208,455 | 12.6 |
| | Granville | 852,933 | 13.8 | 526,002 | 52.5 | 1,224,345 | 131.9 | 195,557 | 62.5 |
| | Harnett | 2,051,585 | - 5.4 | 1,064,131 | 3.8 | 1,042,057 | 24.8 | 448,838 | 24.0 |
| | Johnston | 2,567,595 | -12.6 | 1,786,540 | - 4.4 | 2,303,750 | 39.6 | 650,090 | 26.5 |
| | Vance | 556,750 | 94.1 | 425,655 | 43.1 | 224,715 | 7.1 | 79,775 | 84.8 |
| | Wake | 2,103,429 | 7.3 | 1,064,331 | - 5.6 | 2,570,130 | 12.9 | 358,676 | 7.4 |
| | Warren | 494,105 | - 2.2 | 372,803 | 48.5 | 322,295 | 6.9 | 135,800 | 81.6 |
| | Totals | 9,585,383 | 2.5 | 5,879,808 | 6.6 | 8,181,401 | 31.4 | 2,077,191 | 27.2 |

Table 6. (continued) Selected farm expenses, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959

| | | Hired labor | | Fuel | | Feed | | Machine hire | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | 1959 | Percent chg. 1954-1959 | 1959 | Percent chg. 1954-1959 | 1959 | Percent chg. 1954-1959 | 1959 | Percent chg. 1954-1959 |
| | | (dollars) | | (dollars) | | (dollars) | | (dollars) | |
| SENCLAND & SOUTHEASTERN | Bladen | 1,175,725 | 21.9 | 617,457 | - 5.7 | 643,585 | 23.4 | 199,739 | -28.0 |
| | Brunswick | 354,620 | -17.2 | 345,835 | 3.9 | 320,490 | 31.6 | 53,335 | -34.6 |
| | Columbus | 2,601,925 | 21.4 | 1,555,270 | 18.9 | 1,113,080 | 67.7 | 307,545 | 3.0 |
| | Duplin | 2,459,770 | 11.6 | 1,725,313 | 30.9 | 5,427,445 | 224.7 | 474,524 | 8.3 |
| | New Hanover | 591,135 | 47.9 | 74,065 | - 8.0 | 159,675 | - 29.1 | 16,600 | 8.3 |
| | Pender | 1,282,660 | 37.3 | 370,230 | -15.5 | 1,529,010 | 123.6 | 130,265 | - 8.4 |
| | Totals | 8,465,835 | 19.7 | 4,688,170 | 13.5 | 9,193,285 | 129.3 | 1,182,008 | - 5.7 |
| TAR HEEL | Robeson | 2,367,360 | 20.1 | 1,553,815 | 16.0 | 1,793,477 | 284.0 | 695,475 | 62.2 |
| | Scotland | 410,915 | 4.0 | 200,226 | 12.9 | 453,391 | 157.4 | 154,234 | 40.4 |
| | Totals | 2,778,275 | 17.4 | 1,754,041 | 15.6 | 2,246,868 | 249.4 | 849,709 | 57.8 |
| SANDHILLS | Hoke | 652,854 | 31.1 | 272,328 | 11.5 | 344,370 | 177.1 | 237,980 | 125.0 |
| | Lee | 523,210 | 53.3 | 287,455 | 59.5 | 741,885 | 21.2 | 75,175 | - 4.6 |
| | Montgomery | 362,030 | -14.8 | 137,770 | -30.8 | 1,332,080 | 89.9 | 41,870 | - 27.8 |
| | Moore | 584,335 | 12.0 | 378,918 | 7.4 | 5,456,200 | 103.4 | 111,390 | 13.5 |
| | Richmond | 518,055 | 37.9 | 220,941 | 7.1 | 1,819,568 | 127.4 | 83,125 | 9.7 |
| | Totals | 2,640,484 | 22.2 | 1,297,412 | 9.7 | 9,694,103 | 97.0 | 549,540 | 32.0 |
| PIEDMONT | Anson | 395,850 | 41.9 | 278,845 | 41.9 | 1,096,395 | 53.8 | 210,725 | 7.6 |
| | Cabarrus | 347,025 | 72.1 | 268,645 | - 9.8 | 1,094,630 | 44.8 | 114,790 | 14.2 |
| | Catawba | 249,395 | 13.1 | 295,340 | 38.3 | 1,643,565 | 122.5 | 119,585 | -16.0 |
| | Cleveland | 874,760 | 98.4 | 521,012 | 33.5 | 3,530,687 | 109.7 | 461,523 | 24.4 |
| | Gaston | 297,425 | 6.5 | 201,330 | -11.9 | 928,780 | 62.6 | 87,495 | 8.0 |
| | Iredell | 628,146 | 87.8 | 488,792 | 2.5 | 2,123,505 | 99.5 | 271,685 | 2.0 |
| | Lincoln | 170,180 | 46.4 | 267,480 | 11.2 | 1,208,960 | 134.3 | 148,725 | 25.0 |
| | Mecklenburg | 566,280 | 33.1 | 278,720 | - 8.3 | 1,101,825 | 36.3 | 129,239 | -22.6 |
| | Rowan | 419,360 | 21.5 | 393,615 | -17.6 | 1,178,250 | 44.7 | 133,015 | -13.9 |
| | Stanly | 363,393 | 103.4 | 350,790 | -54.4 | 1,956,153 | 76.3 | 99,345 | -16.1 |
| | Union | 671,725 | 51.0 | 517,619 | - 2.3 | 3,777,040 | 30.6 | 427,543 | 3.4 |
| | Totals | 4,983,539 | 52.6 | 3,862,188 | - 6.4 | 19,639,790 | 68.3 | 2,203,670 | 3.5 |
| NOT PARTICIPATING | Cumberland | 976,075 | - 8.6 | 600,920 | 11.4 | 1,115,582 | 20.6 | 246,399 | 41.2 |
| | Sampson | 2,463,450 | 13.9 | 1,575,349 | 19.0 | 2,485,045 | 70.2 | 846,532 | 55.9 |
| | Totals | 3,439,525 | 6.5 | 2,176,269 | 16.8 | 3,600,627 | 50.9 | 1,092,931 | 52.3 |
| | North Carolina | 74,664,735 | 18.6 | 46,167,494 | 16.2 | 114,743,987 | 56.2 | 17,792,829 | 18.3 |

Figure 8. Percentage of commercial farms with sales less than $2500 in 1959

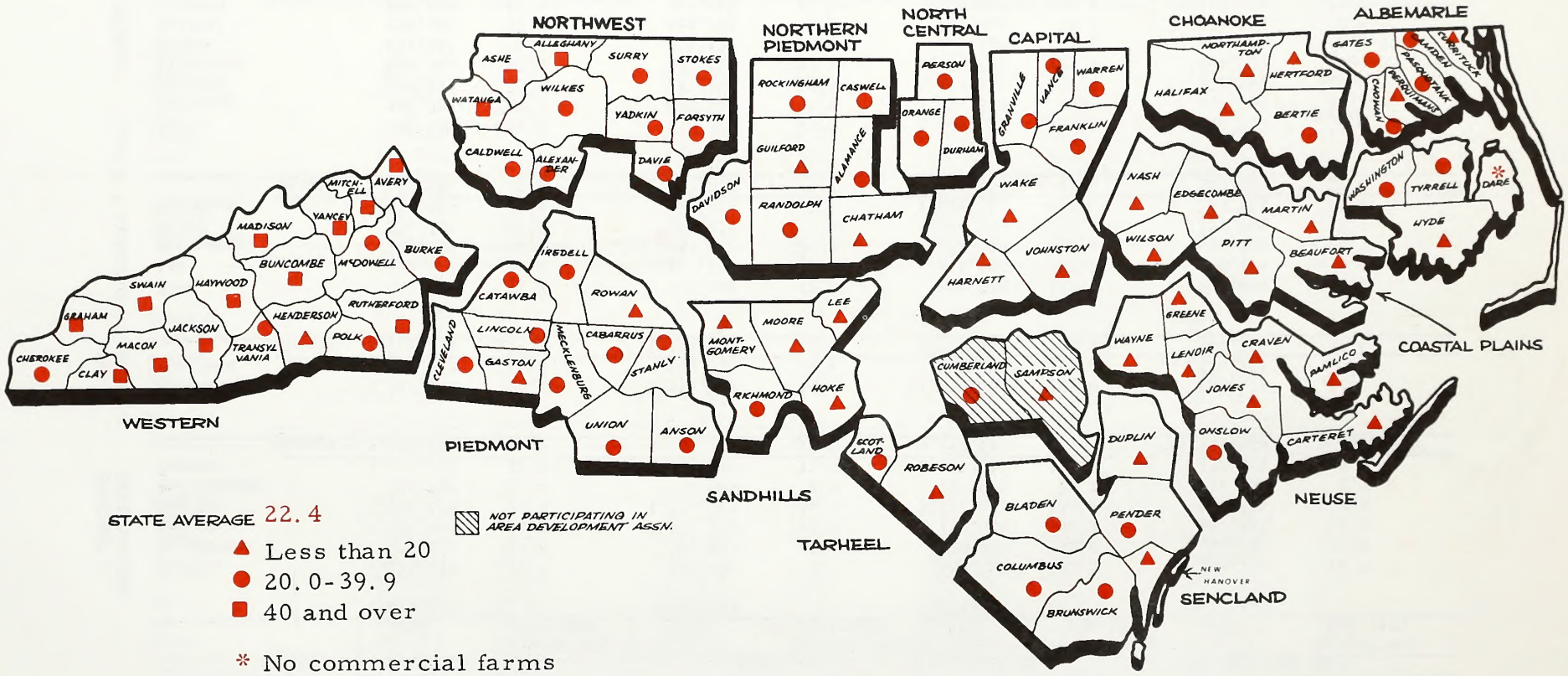


Figure 9. Percentage of commercial farms with sales over $10,000 in 1959

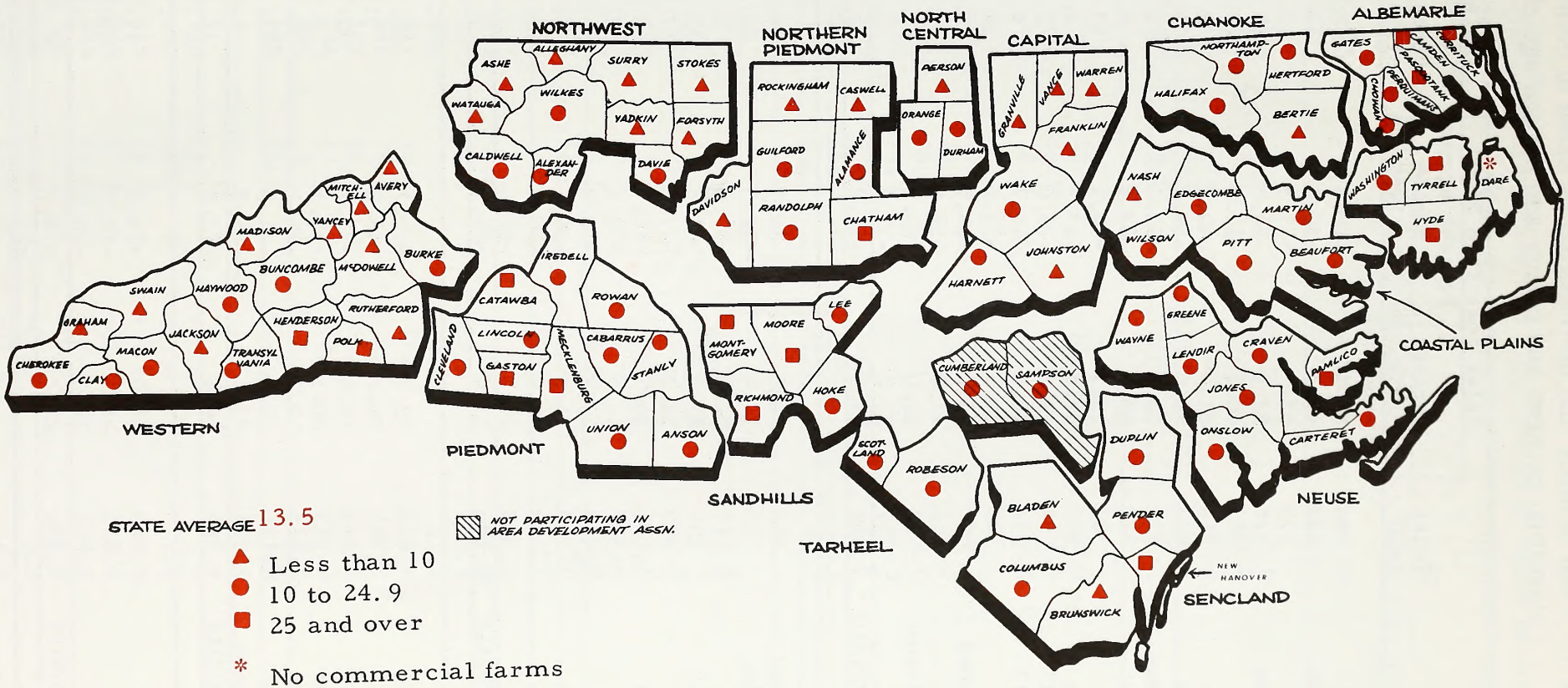


Table 7. Total number and distribution by sales of commercial farms, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959

| | | Total 1959 | Sales less than $2500 | | Sales over $10,000 | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Percent 1959 | Percent change in number 1954-1959 | Percent 1959 | Percent change in number 1954-1959 |
| WESTERN | Avery | 204 | 68.6 | -60.6 | 3.9 | 300.0 |
| | Buncombe | 952 | 46.7 | -60.1 | 14.8 | 0 |
| | Burke | 173 | 23.1 | -77.9 | 12.7 | 266.7 |
| | Cherokee | 226 | 37.6 | -54.3 | 15.0 | 61.9 |
| | Clay | 262 | 40.1 | -57.3 | 15.3 | 166.7 |
| | Graham | 210 | 81.0 | -45.2 | 0 | 0 |
| | Haywood | 663 | 49.0 | -69.7 | 11.9 | 216.0 |
| | Henderson | 597 | 15.1 | -80.3 | 31.5 | 224.1 |
| | Jackson | 222 | 49.5 | -63.8 | 4.5 | a/ |
| | Macon | 302 | 53.3 | -54.1 | 10.3 | 210.0 |
| | Madison | 1,569 | 67.6 | -48.9 | 2.0 | 106.7 |
| | McDowell | 97 | 25.8 | -85.0 | 2.1 | -90.0 |
| | Mitchell | 356 | 68.8 | -40.7 | 9.8 | 250.0 |
| | Polk | 145 | 34.5 | -73.8 | 26.2 | -11.6 |
| | Rutherford | 600 | 54.2 | -64.1 | 6.7 | 100.0 |
| | Swain | 112 | 67.0 | -17.6 | .9 | a/ |
| | Transylvania | 87 | 23.0 | -85.8 | 12.6 | 83.3 |
| | Yancey | 767 | 78.2 | -37.3 | 2.0 | a/ |
| | TOTALS | 7,544 | 54.0 | -57.2 | 9.6 | 85.2 |
| NORTHWEST | Alleghany | 442 | 50.9 | -58.3 | 9.5 | a/ |
| | Alexander | 535 | 30.8 | -72.3 | 20.6 | 214.3 |
| | Ashe | 1,114 | 62.4 | -57.0 | 3.0 | 450.0 |
| | Caldwell | 240 | 21.5 | -81.9 | 15.4 | -38.3 |
| | Davie | 453 | 24.3 | -77.8 | 17.9 | 211.5 |
| | Forsyth | 1,001 | 24.5 | -74.1 | 8.9 | 23.6 |
| | Stokes | 2,307 | 22.5 | -72.1 | 2.0 | 48.4 |
| | Surry | 2,418 | 23.2 | -70.9 | 5.4 | 176.6 |
| | Watauga | 729 | 61.0 | -58.7 | 7.8 | a/ |
| | Wilkes | 1,139 | 30.4 | -58.4 | 22.8 | 81.8 |
| | Yadkin | 1,808 | 27.1 | -65.0 | 5.9 | 296.3 |
| | TOTALS | 12,186 | 31.6 | -66.7 | 8.1 | 121.9 |
| NORTHERN PIEDMONT | Alamance | 1,014 | 23.2 | -73.7 | 12.5 | 170.2 |
| | Caswell | 1,797 | 28.7 | -66.0 | 3.5 | 138.5 |
| | Chatham | 958 | 18.4 | -78.7 | 33.9 | 74.7 |
| | Davidson | 913 | 30.1 | -75.1 | 9.6 | 104.7 |
| | Guilford | 1,835 | 19.7 | -75.1 | 10.7 | 98.0 |
| | Randolph | 1,128 | 24.4 | -75.8 | 23.6 | 82.3 |
| | Rockingham | 2,321 | 23.1 | -74.7 | 6.5 | 145.9 |
| | TOTALS | 9,966 | 23.8 | -73.8 | 12.2 | 99.7 |
| NORTH CENTRAL | Durham | 580 | 21.6 | -79.0 | 11.0 | 276.5 |
| | Orange | 850 | 23.5 | -71.0 | 18.7 | 183.9 |
| | Person | 1,964 | 31.3 | -70.6 | 7.2 | 370.0 |
| | TOTALS | 3,394 | 27.7 | -72.2 | 10.7 | 253.4 |

a/ No commercial farms reporting sales over $10,000 in 1954.

Table 7. (continued) Total number and distribution by sales of commercial farms, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959

| | | Total 1959 | Sales less than $2500 | | Sales over $10,000 | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Percent 1959 | Percent change in number 1954-1959 | Percent 1959 | Percent change in number 1954-1959 |
| CHOANOKE | Bertie | 2,025 | 20.2 | -22.2 | 9.0 | 101.1 |
| | Halifax | 2,328 | 18.1 | -65.8 | 12.2 | 79.2 |
| | Hertford | 1,094 | 14.2 | -59.8 | 12.2 | 269.4 |
| | Northampton | 1,554 | 17.7 | -74.9 | 16.1 | 171.7 |
| | TOTALS | 7,001 | 18.0 | -61.1 | 12.1 | 125.1 |
| ALBEMARLE | Camden | 156 | 22.4 | -58.8 | 28.8 | -28.6 |
| | Chowan | 465 | 26.9 | -51.9 | 22.6 | 8.2 |
| | Currituck | 209 | 4.8 | -89.1 | 59.3 | 30.5 |
| | Dare | | | | | |
| | Gates | 683 | 26.4 | -54.5 | 14.2 | 90.2 |
| | Hyde | 237 | 12.7 | -86.1 | 39.2 | 102.2 |
| | Pasquotank | 371 | 20.2 | -53.1 | 38.0 | 19.5 |
| | Perquimans | 408 | 15.9 | -78.3 | 21.3 | -1.1 |
| | Tyrrell | 148 | 33.8 | -56.5 | 25.7 | 533.3 |
| | Washington | 440 | 21.6 | -56.8 | 21.6 | 106.5 |
| | TOTALS | 3,117 | 21.3 | -63.9 | 26.5 | 35.2 |
| COASTAL PLAIN | Beaufort | 1,813 | 17.7 | -63.2 | 16.9 | 29.5 |
| | Edgecombe | 2,478 | 11.7 | -36.3 | 16.2 | 113.3 |
| | Martin | 1,847 | 16.8 | -25.2 | 15.8 | 32.9 |
| | Nash | 3,464 | 11.4 | -74.5 | 9.3 | 286.7 |
| | Pitt | 3,488 | 8.3 | -54.0 | 22.3 | 130.2 |
| | Wilson | 2,522 | 6.1 | -76.6 | 21.9 | 213.6 |
| | TOTALS | 15,612 | 11.3 | -61.6 | 17.0 | 113.5 |
| NEUSE | Carteret | 285 | 15.8 | -71.2 | 22.1 | 50.0 |
| | Craven | 1,197 | 14.2 | -69.6 | 14.9 | 128.2 |
| | Greene | 1,846 | 5.7 | -73.1 | 12.5 | 142.1 |
| | Jones | 817 | 10.5 | -76.4 | 14.4 | 57.3 |
| | Lenoir | 2,146 | 8.6 | -71.8 | 19.5 | 131.5 |
| | Onslow | 1,117 | 26.0 | -58.3 | 14.6 | 254.3 |
| | Pamlico | 294 | 13.6 | -79.5 | 33.0 | 38.6 |
| | Wayne | 2,994 | 9.4 | -72.0 | 14.2 | 173.5 |
| | TOTALS | 10,696 | 11.2 | -70.1 | 15.8 | 128.0 |
| CAPITAL | Franklin | 2,326 | 20.4 | -76.6 | 5.7 | 454.2 |
| | Granville | 2,416 | 26.1 | -63.4 | 7.9 | 363.4 |
| | Harnett | 2,415 | 18.7 | -74.6 | 16.9 | 216.3 |
| | Johnston | 4,644 | 13.3 | -73.0 | 8.5 | 302.0 |
| | Vance | 1,443 | 25.6 | -63.0 | 8.4 | 476.2 |
| | Wake | 2,750 | 16.2 | -79.1 | 17.2 | 233.8 |
| | Warren | 1,354 | 33.0 | -69.6 | 6.3 | 183.3 |
| | TOTALS | 17,348 | 19.4 | -72.3 | 10.4 | 272.2 |

Table 7. (continued) Total number and distribution by sales of commercial farms, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959

| | | Total 1959 | Sales less than $2500 | | Sales over $10,000 | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Percent 1959 | Percent change in number 1954-1959 | Percent 1959 | Percent change in number 1954-1959 |
| SENCLAND & SOUTHEASTERN | Bladen | 1,742 | 29.0 | -60.6 | 7.7 | 211.6 |
| | Brunswick | 856 | 38.6 | -67.9 | 2.7 | -17.9 |
| | Columbus | 3,489 | 20.8 | -64.5 | 10.7 | 373.4 |
| | Duplin | 3,554 | 15.9 | -68.9 | 17.1 | 494.1 |
| | New Hanover | 85 | 17.6 | -66.7 | 52.9 | 95.7 |
| | Pender | 893 | 22.4 | -75.3 | 21.4 | 229.3 |
| | TOTALS | 10,619 | 22.0 | -66.7 | 12.9 | 312.3 |
| TARHEEL | Robeson | 5,105 | 15.1 | -67.8 | 11.1 | 311.6 |
| | Scotland | 621 | 33.0 | -48.9 | 12.1 | 47.1 |
| | TOTALS | 5,726 | 17.0 | -65.1 | 11.2 | 240.2 |
| SANDHILLS | Hoke | 711 | 16.9 | -75.0 | 16.7 | 70.0 |
| | Lee | 661 | 19.7 | -76.4 | 17.4 | 475.0 |
| | Montgomery | 312 | 16.3 | -82.2 | 26.0 | 12.5 |
| | Moore | 1,115 | 13.0 | -79.2 | 32.9 | 114.6 |
| | Richmond | 489 | 24.5 | -81.1 | 29.4 | 157.1 |
| | TOTALS | 3,288 | 17.2 | -78.6 | 25.1 | 112.3 |
| PIEDMONT | Anson | 677 | 34.9 | -79.7 | 19.5 | 407.7 |
| | Cabarrus | 459 | 24.0 | -76.3 | 15.9 | 128.1 |
| | Catawba | 425 | 23.5 | -78.9 | 25.9 | 150.0 |
| | Cleveland | 1,590 | 34.6 | -74.2 | 14.5 | 351.0 |
| | Gaston | 386 | 18.1 | -74.2 | 27.2 | 288.9 |
| | Iredell | 1,148 | 29.6 | -72.5 | 19.3 | 183.3 |
| | Lincoln | 623 | 31.5 | -76.9 | 18.0 | 261.3 |
| | Mecklenburg | 549 | 33.0 | -74.5 | 25.9 | 84.4 |
| | Rowan | 645 | 19.4 | -82.9 | 18.3 | 5.4 |
| | Stanly | 618 | 31.6 | -71.1 | 21.4 | 100.0 |
| | Union | 1,293 | 34.0 | -73.9 | 20.1 | 80.6 |
| | TOTALS | 8,413 | 30.2 | -75.5 | 19.4 | 137.6 |
| NOT PARTICIPATING | Cumberland | 1,274 | 23.5 | -68.5 | 15.4 | 157.9 |
| | Sampson | 3,884 | 17.6 | -66.8 | 12.0 | 285.1 |
| | TOTALS | 5,158 | 19.1 | -67.3 | 12.8 | 236.0 |
| | North Carolina | 120,068 | 22.4 | -68.4 | 13.5 | 139.0 |

Figure 10. Percentage change in cash farm receipts, 1954-1959

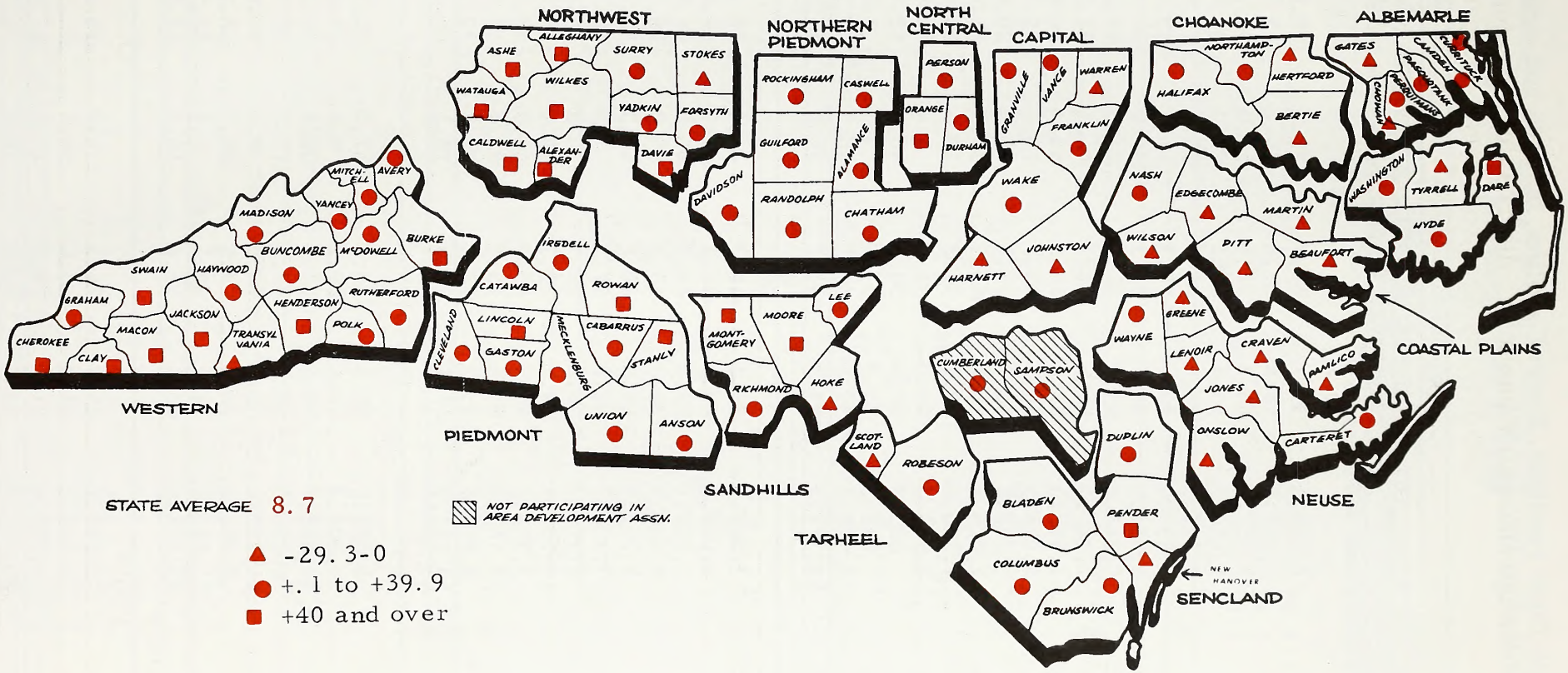


Table 8. Cash farm receipts, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959

| | | 1959 | | | 1954-1959 | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Total[a/] | Percent of total | | Percentage change in receipts | | |
| | | | Livestock | Crops | Total | Livestock | Crops |
| | | (thousand dollars) | | | | | |
| WESTERN | Avery | 1,286.5 | 31.7 | 68.3 | 22.2 | 28.8 | 19.4 |
| | Buncombe | 7,225.9 | 68.4 | 31.6 | 34.7 | 45.7 | 15.8 |
| | Burke | 1,757.3 | 68.2 | 31.8 | 59.0 | 51.0 | 79.4 |
| | Cherokee | 1,654.7 | 83.9 | 16.1 | 77.7 | 82.1 | 58.2 |
| | Clay | 1,710.3 | 88.8 | 11.2 | 55.1 | 56.8 | 42.6 |
| | Graham | 554.0 | 29.7 | 70.3 | 1.8 | 40.8 | - 8.9 |
| | Haywood | 4,321.5 | 64.7 | 35.3 | 25.9 | 100.7 | -25.2 |
| | Henderson | 6,365.0 | 45.3 | 54.7 | 61.0 | 59.2 | 62.5 |
| | Jackson | 1,287.1 | 61.3 | 38.7 | 41.7 | 81.9 | 4.9 |
| | Macon | 1,988.3 | 83.4 | 16.6 | 58.1 | 80.9 | - 3.2 |
| | Madison | 4,678.5 | 34.5 | 65.5 | 10.1 | 75.7 | - 8.0 |
| | McDowell | 728.6 | 66.7 | 33.3 | 15.3 | 20.6 | 5.8 |
| | Mitchell | 1,629.6 | 54.7 | 45.3 | 32.0 | 71.6 | 3.2 |
| | Polk | 1,154.0 | 62.7 | 37.3 | 10.9 | 24.6 | - 6.4 |
| | Rutherford | 2,964.2 | 49.0 | 51.0 | 8.4 | 31.9 | - 7.5 |
| | Swain | 423.3 | 67.6 | 32.4 | 46.9 | 92.7 | - 1.8 |
| | Transylvania | 819.8 | 73.0 | 27.0 | - 5.1 | - 7.4 | 1.9 |
| | Yancey | 2,229.7 | 32.4 | 67.6 | 10.7 | 7.3 | 12.4 |
| | TOTALS | 42,778.3 | 57.3 | 42.7 | 30.8 | 54.3 | 8.6 |
| NORTHWEST | Alleghany | 2,402.7 | 85.3 | 14.7 | 66.4 | 79.5 | 17.2 |
| | Alexander | 4,030.2 | 69.9 | 30.1 | 41.1 | 169.8 | -33.0 |
| | Ashe | 4,623.1 | 55.1 | 44.9 | 46.0 | 94.8 | 11.6 |
| | Caldwell | 2,488.9 | 76.7 | 23.3 | 65.3 | 108.7 | - 1.8 |
| | Davie | 3,725.9 | 69.4 | 30.6 | 49.3 | 98.2 | - 4.2 |
| | Forsyth | 5,907.7 | 42.9 | 57.1 | 7.5 | 50.1 | -11.4 |
| | Stokes | 9,909.7 | 9.3 | 90.7 | - 4.9 | 35.8 | - 7.8 |
| | Surry | 13,137.9 | 26.7 | 73.3 | 14.6 | 168.1 | - 5.2 |
| | Watauga | 3,309.4 | 54.4 | 45.6 | 46.9 | 125.5 | 3.7 |
| | Wilkes | 12,101.0 | 84.8 | 15.2 | 82.4 | 115.8 | - 2.0 |
| | Yadkin | 8,601.4 | 25.1 | 74.9 | 24.7 | 72.1 | 14.1 |
| | TOTALS | 70,237.9 | 47.1 | 52.9 | 28.5 | 104.3 | - 3.4 |
| NORTHERN PIEDMONT | Alamance | 6,239.5 | 46.4 | 53.6 | 11.0 | 34.1 | - 3.4 |
| | Caswell | 7,902.3 | 10.5 | 89.5 | 8.6 | 59.2 | 4.7 |
| | Chatham | 10,833.7 | 76.4 | 23.6 | 22.8 | 34.3 | - 3.9 |
| | Davidson | 6,168.9 | 54.2 | 45.8 | 13.2 | 35.1 | - 5.0 |
| | Guilford | 11,121.6 | 35.1 | 64.9 | 9.5 | 59.6 | - 6.4 |
| | Randolph | 9,764.4 | 70.5 | 29.5 | 28.1 | 48.9 | - 4.0 |
| | Rockingham | 11,591.5 | 12.9 | 87.1 | 7.6 | 83.5 | 1.4 |
| | TOTALS | 63,621.9 | 43.4 | 56.6 | 14.2 | 43.9 | - 1.5 |
| NORTH CENTRAL | Durham | 3,261.4 | 25.9 | 74.1 | 1.6 | 14.8 | - 2.3 |
| | Orange | 6,802.8 | 57.0 | 43.0 | 54.8 | 91.5 | 23.6 |
| | Person | 9,938.4 | 21.7 | 78.3 | 20.9 | 167.9 | 4.9 |
| | TOTALS | 20,002.6 | 34.4 | 65.6 | 26.4 | 92.9 | 7.1 |

Table 8. (continued) Cash farm receipts, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959

| | | 1959 | | | 1954-1959 | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Total[a/] | Percent of total | | Percentage change in receipts | | |
| | | | Livestock | Crops | Total | Livestock | Crops |
| | | (thousand dollars) | | | | | |
| CHOANOKE | Bertie | 11,266.3 | 14.4 | 85.6 | - 18.7 | 30.7 | -23.5 |
| | Halifax | 16,155.7 | 13.7 | 86.3 | 5.4 | 71.1 | - .7 |
| | Hertford | 7,025.0 | 11.4 | 88.6 | - 5.4 | 53.6 | - 9.8 |
| | Northampton | 10,910.4 | 12.9 | 87.1 | 12.7 | 17.1 | 12.1 |
| | TOTALS | 45,357.3 | 13.3 | 86.7 | - 2.0 | 41.9 | - 6.5 |
| ALBEMARLE | Camden | 2,810.1 | 8.2 | 91.8 | 4.7 | -33.4 | 10.3 |
| | Chowan | 3,879.6 | 26.5 | 73.5 | - 9.4 | 21.2 | -17.0 |
| | Currituck | 3,771.8 | 23.1 | 76.9 | 9.2 | 65.4 | - .9 |
| | Dare | 25.8 | 43.0 | 57.0 | 260.6 | 128.5 | 539.0 |
| | Gates | 3,881.2 | 33.1 | 66.9 | - .9 | 1.9 | - 2.2 |
| | Hyde | 2,422.3 | 15.8 | 84.2 | 31.8 | 29.2 | 32.2 |
| | Pasquotank | 5,143.1 | 11.4 | 88.6 | 24.0 | -10.3 | 30.4 |
| | Perquimans | 4,060.4 | 26.4 | 73.6 | 21.7 | 68.1 | 10.7 |
| | Tyrrell | 1,276.9 | 32.8 | 67.2 | - 9.6 | -16.2 | - 6.0 |
| | Washington | 3,441.3 | 21.1 | 78.9 | 11.5 | 71.5 | 1.9 |
| | TOTALS | 30,712.5 | 21.5 | 78.5 | 9.0 | 20.2 | 6.3 |
| COASTAL PLAIN | Beaufort | 13,608.4 | 11.6 | 88.4 | - 9.1 | 35.8 | -12.8 |
| | Edgecombe | 18,504.1 | 14.2 | 85.8 | - 7.2 | 97.2 | -14.6 |
| | Martin | 13,198.9 | 16.8 | 83.2 | - 18.4 | 75.1 | -26.3 |
| | Nash | 21,543.6 | 10.3 | 89.7 | 4.7 | 149.4 | - 1.9 |
| | Pitt | 27,371.9 | 9.4 | 90.6 | - 12.7 | 142.8 | -18.1 |
| | Wilson | 19,095.8 | 6.2 | 93.8 | - 4.8 | 131.3 | - 8.3 |
| | TOTALS | 113,322.7 | 10.9 | 89.1 | - 7.9 | 99.2 | -13.6 |
| NEUSE | Carteret | 2,468.7 | 26.6 | 73.4 | 3.8 | 34.9 | - 4.2 |
| | Craven | 8,107.6 | 12.0 | 88.0 | - 14.8 | 15.6 | -17.7 |
| | Greene | 13,427.1 | 6.8 | 93.2 | - 11.8 | 109.6 | -15.3 |
| | Jones | 5,733.6 | 11.5 | 88.5 | - 16.6 | 19.3 | -19.7 |
| | Lenoir | 16,179.0 | 7.4 | 92.6 | - 10.7 | - 3.8 | -11.2 |
| | Onslow | 6,513.5 | 21.4 | 78.6 | - 7.0 | 69.0 | -17.1 |
| | Pamlico | 2,765.1 | 33.3 | 66.7 | - 8.2 | 38.3 | -21.4 |
| | Wayne | 21,194.0 | 14.0 | 86.0 | 5.4 | 99.0 | - 2.1 |
| | TOTALS | 76,388.5 | 12.7 | 87.3 | - 7.1 | 48.0 | -11.9 |
| CAPITAL | Franklin | 11,914.0 | 9.4 | 90.6 | 15.4 | 115.3 | 10.1 |
| | Granville | 13,065.1 | 20.4 | 79.6 | 29.3 | 159.1 | 14.6 |
| | Harnett | 15,466.9 | 11.4 | 88.6 | - 10.7 | 137.7 | -17.4 |
| | Johnston | 26,543.5 | 14.3 | 85.7 | - 5.4 | 67.5 | -11.8 |
| | Vance | 7,341.4 | 9.1 | 90.9 | 18.6 | 150.7 | 12.6 |
| | Wake | 19,351.8 | 21.7 | 78.3 | 12.6 | 84.6 | 1.6 |
| | Warren | 6,294.3 | 14.1 | 85.9 | - .4 | 26.6 | - 3.8 |
| | TOTALS | 99,976.9 | 15.1 | 84.9 | 4.7 | 93.5 | - 3.2 |

Table 8. (continued) Cash farm receipts, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959

| | | 1959 | | | 1954-1959 | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Total[a] | Percent of total | | Percentage change in receipts | | |
| | | | Livestock | Crops | Total | Livestock | Crops |
| | | (thousand dollars) | | | | | |
| SENCLAND & SOUTHEASTERN | Bladen | 9,499.4 | 17.8 | 82.2 | .6 | 64.7 | - 7.2 |
| | Brunswick | 4,081.2 | 24.2 | 75.8 | 3.0 | 83.0 | - 9.6 |
| | Columbus | 21,384.1 | 13.5 | 86.5 | 15.1 | 124.9 | 6.9 |
| | Duplin | 26,765.9 | 35.4 | 64.6 | 34.2 | 325.6 | - 2.5 |
| | New Hanover | 1,554.5 | 26.2 | 73.8 | -29.3 | 27.9 | -38.9 |
| | Pender | 7,812.7 | 40.3 | 59.7 | 41.9 | 143.9 | 10.7 |
| | TOTALS | 71,097.8 | 26.2 | 73.8 | 19.2 | 178.2 | - .9 |
| TAR HEEL | Robeson | 31,143.5 | 12.9 | 87.1 | 3.0 | 315.2 | - 7.4 |
| | Scotland | 4,164.6 | 25.1 | 74.9 | -7.8 | 146.4 | -23.8 |
| | TOTALS | 35,308.1 | 14.4 | 85.6 | 1.6 | 263.9 | - 9.4 |
| SANDHILLS | Hoke | 4,738.6 | 14.3 | 85.7 | -10.8 | 89.3 | -18.0 |
| | Lee | 4,614.2 | 20.0 | 80.0 | 11.3 | 105.5 | - .1 |
| | Montgomery | 4,613.7 | 61.4 | 38.6 | 42.8 | 156.5 | -16.3 |
| | Moore | 10,978.2 | 61.1 | 38.9 | 54.2 | 140.8 | - 1.4 |
| | Richmond | 5,490.7 | 47.5 | 52.5 | 35.1 | 185.4 | - 8.6 |
| | TOTALS | 30,435.3 | 45.2 | 54.8 | 27.5 | 145.0 | - 8.6 |
| PIEDMONT | Anson | 4,763.9 | 47.0 | 53.0 | 24.5 | 73.2 | - .3 |
| | Cabarrus | 3,526.0 | 72.6 | 27.4 | 17.5 | 39.2 | -16.9 |
| | Catawba | 3,852.2 | 69.4 | 30.6 | 25.5 | 31.1 | 14.5 |
| | Cleveland | 10,380.2 | 49.0 | 51.0 | 34.7 | 89.5 | 5.4 |
| | Gaston | 2,953.3 | 76.6 | 23.4 | 29.1 | 43.7 | - 3.2 |
| | Iredell | 8,233.7 | 66.3 | 33.7 | 32.0 | 68.9 | - 7.7 |
| | Lincoln | 4,632.3 | 65.4 | 34.6 | 44.2 | 96.9 | - 4.2 |
| | Mecklenburg | 5,158.1 | 62.1 | 37.9 | 6.5 | 33.8 | -20.2 |
| | Rowan | 5,420.8 | 67.2 | 32.8 | 40.0 | 80.4 | - 4.1 |
| | Stanly | 5,721.0 | 78.3 | 21.7 | 63.9 | 122.2 | -15.9 |
| | Union | 11,263.6 | 70.9 | 29.1 | 31.1 | 77.8 | -20.0 |
| | TOTALS | 65,905.0 | 64.7 | 35.3 | 31.4 | 69.7 | - 6.9 |
| NOT PARTICIPATING | Cumberland | 8,618.3 | 26.6 | 73.4 | .9 | 67.2 | -11.7 |
| | Sampson | 23,450.3 | 18.2 | 81.8 | 4.7 | 104.0 | - 5.5 |
| | TOTALS | 32,068.6 | 20.5 | 79.5 | 3.7 | 89.5 | - 7.1 |
| | North Carolina | 797,213.6 | 28.7 | 71.3 | 8.7 | 79.3 | - 6.2 |

[a] Totals may not add due to rounding.

Figure 11. Proportion of farm operators working 100 or more days off the farm in 1959

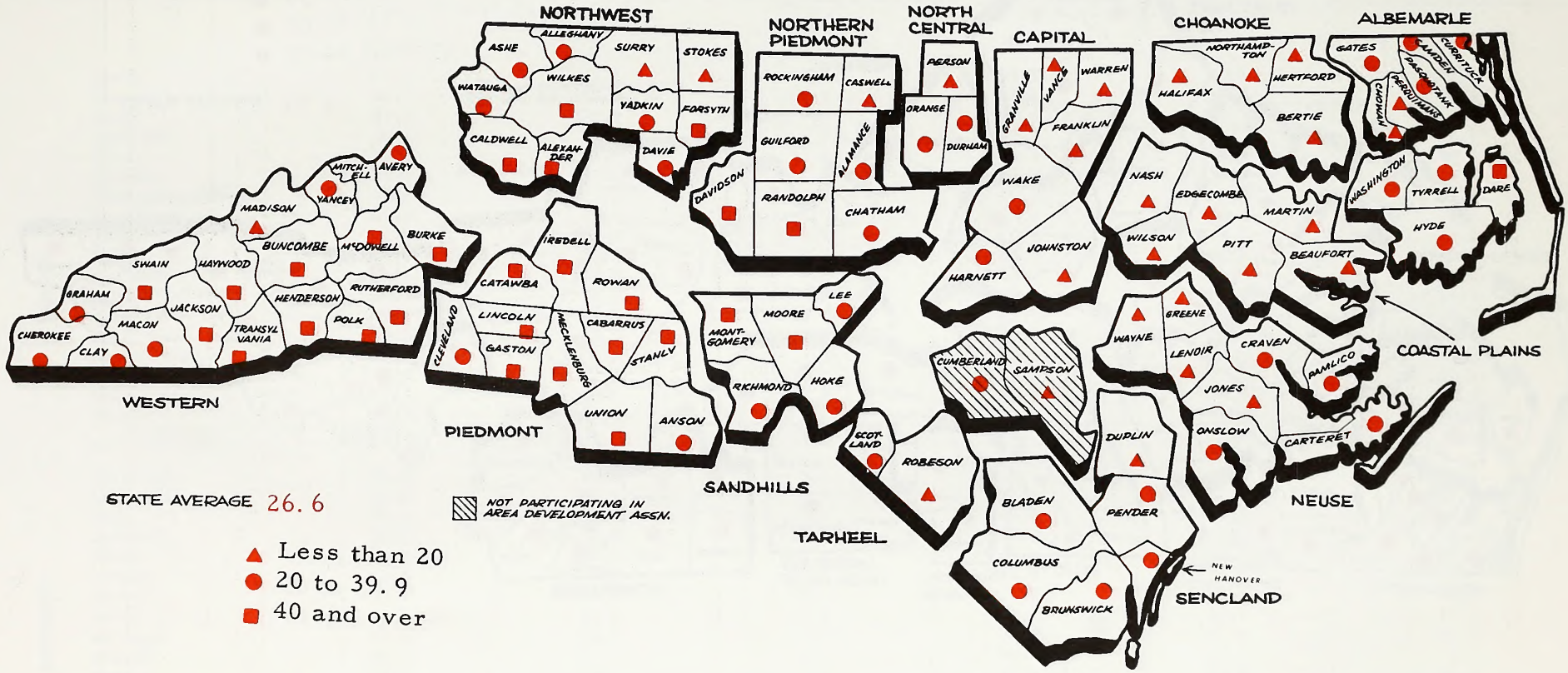
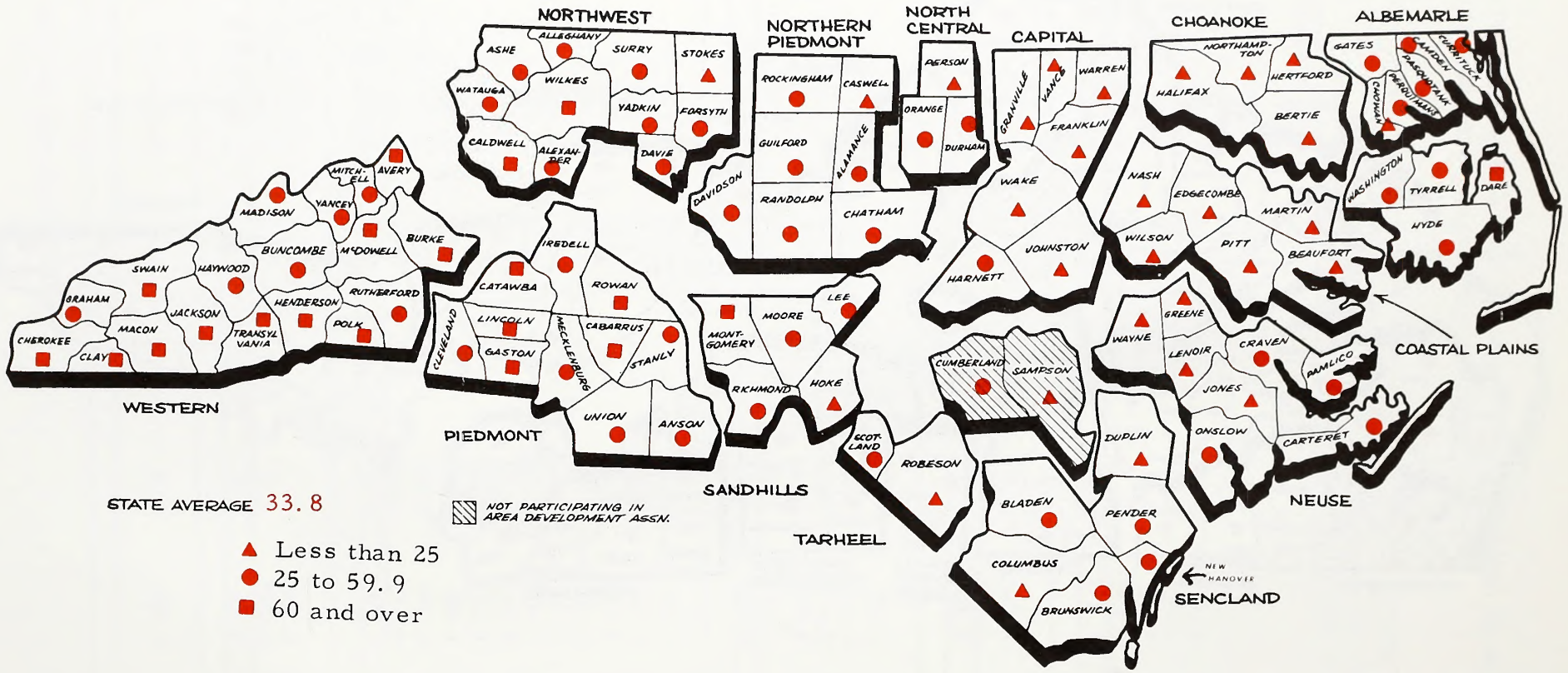


Figure 12. Proportion of farm operators with off-farm family income greater than total farm sales in 1959



# Table 9. Off-farm employment and income, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959

| | | Proportion of farm operators working 100 or more days off the farm | | Percentage change in proportion 1954 to 1959 | Proportion of farm operators with off-farm family income greater than gross farm income | | Percentage change in proportion 1954 to 1959 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | 1954 | 1959 | | 1954 | 1959 | |
| | | (percent of total operators) | | | (percent of total operators) | | |
| WESTERN | Avery | 42.5 | 39.4 | - 7.3 | 51.1 | 60.1 | 17.6 |
| | Buncombe | 48.2 | 45.2 | - 6.2 | 48.1 | 57.4 | 19.3 |
| | Burke | 62.8 | 52.8 | -15.9 | 69.1 | 68.3 | - 1.2 |
| | Cherokee | 34.2 | 37.1 | 8.5 | 47.1 | 64.7 | 37.4 |
| | Clay | 21.4 | 34.7 | 62.1 | 29.5 | 60.4 | 104.7 |
| | Graham | 32.4 | 37.1 | 14.5 | 37.6 | 55.7 | 48.1 |
| | Haywood | 46.5 | 45.7 | - 1.7 | 36.6 | 59.6 | 62.8 |
| | Henderson | 41.8 | 41.4 | - 1.0 | 57.9 | 63.2 | 9.2 |
| | Jackson | 51.9 | 45.3 | -12.7 | 70.7 | 77.2 | 9.2 |
| | Macon | 43.0 | 39.2 | - 8.8 | 54.6 | 65.7 | 20.3 |
| | Madison | 18.6 | 19.5 | 4.8 | 18.4 | 26.5 | 44.0 |
| | McDowell | 55.3 | 54.3 | - 1.8 | 49.7 | 76.3 | 53.5 |
| | Mitchell | 48.3 | 35.3 | -26.9 | 63.6 | 59.8 | - 6.0 |
| | Polk | 59.8 | 42.8 | -28.4 | 64.3 | 69.1 | 7.5 |
| | Rutherford | 43.7 | 43.5 | - .5 | 52.2 | 59.4 | 13.8 |
| | Swain | 52.8 | 47.5 | -10.0 | 60.7 | 77.1 | 27.0 |
| | Transylvania | 58.1 | 56.7 | - 2.4 | 60.5 | 78.8 | 30.2 |
| | Yancey | 32.4 | 32.3 | - .3 | 37.8 | 41.5 | 9.8 |
| | TOTALS | 43.0 | 39.9 | - 7.2 | 48.5 | 57.5 | 18.6 |
| NORTHWEST | Alleghany | 39.1 | 37.0 | - 5.4 | 38.1 | 52.8 | 38.6 |
| | Alexander | 34.6 | 40.1 | 15.9 | 33.6 | 54.3 | 61.6 |
| | Ashe | 31.4 | 35.2 | 12.1 | 43.3 | 54.4 | 25.6 |
| | Caldwell | 59.5 | 52.1 | -12.4 | 66.0 | 72.9 | 10.5 |
| | Davie | 40.0 | 39.4 | - 1.5 | 35.8 | 48.3 | 34.9 |
| | Forsyth | 41.5 | 41.3 | - .5 | 44.8 | 52.2 | 16.5 |
| | Stokes | 12.4 | 19.8 | 59.7 | 11.8 | 22.6 | 91.5 |
| | Surry | 16.8 | 19.8 | 17.9 | 17.7 | 27.0 | 52.5 |
| | Watauga | 33.1 | 34.6 | 4.5 | 37.2 | 54.9 | 47.6 |
| | Wilkes | 44.8 | 43.2 | - 3.6 | 57.6 | 62.5 | 8.5 |
| | Yadkin | 23.2 | 25.3 | 9.1 | 23.5 | 29.3 | 24.7 |
| | TOTALS | 32.0 | 32.6 | 1.9 | 35.9 | 44.8 | 24.8 |

## Table 9. (continued) Off-farm employment and income, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959

| | | Proportion of farm operators working 100 or more days off the farm | | Percentage change in proportion 1954 to 1959 | Proportion of farm operators with off-farm family income greater than gross farm income | | Percentage change in proportion 1954 to 1959 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | 1954 | 1959 | | 1954 | 1959 | |
| | | (percent of total operators) | | | (percent of total operators) | | |
| NORTHERN PIEDMONT | Alamance | 43.1 | 33.4 | -22.5 | 40.2 | 41.6 | 3.5 |
| | Caswell | 14.7 | 15.4 | 4.8 | 15.0 | 17.1 | 14.0 |
| | Chatham | 38.7 | 30.3 | -21.7 | 44.5 | 44.1 | - .9 |
| | Davidson | 42.6 | 47.4 | 11.3 | 40.6 | 59.8 | 47.3 |
| | Guilford | 36.9 | 34.6 | - 6.2 | 36.9 | 47.0 | 27.4 |
| | Randolph | 41.3 | 41.8 | 1.2 | 47.2 | 52.1 | 10.4 |
| | Rockingham | 21.8 | 23.8 | 9.2 | 23.3 | 26.4 | 13.3 |
| | TOTALS | 34.0 | 32.4 | - 4.7 | 35.3 | 40.9 | 15.9 |
| NORTH CENTRAL | Durham | 34.8 | 28.6 | -17.8 | 28.7 | 40.8 | 42.2 |
| | Orange | 34.0 | 28.3 | -16.8 | 41.3 | 37.7 | - 8.7 |
| | Person | 11.3 | 12.9 | 14.2 | 12.0 | 15.1 | 25.8 |
| | TOTALS | 22.8 | 20.8 | - 8.8 | 23.7 | 27.3 | 15.2 |
| CHOANOKE | Bertie | 6.6 | 11.2 | 69.7 | 7.2 | 13.5 | 87.5 |
| | Halifax | 13.1 | 16.9 | 29.0 | 14.8 | 19.8 | 33.8 |
| | Hertford | 12.3 | 10.3 | -16.3 | 19.9 | 11.3 | -43.2 |
| | Northampton | 11.3 | 16.8 | 48.7 | 10.9 | 17.3 | 58.7 |
| | TOTALS | 10.9 | 14.4 | 32.1 | 15.1 | 16.3 | 7.9 |
| ALBEMARLE | Camden | 18.4 | 28.1 | 52.7 | 24.2 | 39.4 | 62.8 |
| | Chowan | 33.5 | 18.9 | -43.6 | 29.1 | 23.0 | -21.0 |
| | Currituck | 46.9 | 31.6 | -32.6 | 50.7 | 47.4 | - 6.5 |
| | Dare | - | 61.9 | - | 38.5 | 76.2 | 97.9 |
| | Gates | 19.8 | 20.6 | 4.0 | 22.8 | 27.7 | 21.5 |
| | Hyde | 11.4 | 30.3 | 165.8 | 19.3 | 40.0 | 107.3 |
| | Pasquotank | 25.3 | 22.5 | - 11.1 | 24.0 | 30.7 | 27.9 |
| | Perquimans | 18.7 | 19.5 | 4.3 | 15.4 | 32.5 | 111.0 |
| | Tyrrell | 37.1 | 30.5 | - 17.8 | 41.1 | 48.9 | 19.0 |
| | Washington | 16.8 | 30.3 | 80.4 | 23.3 | 35.2 | 51.1 |
| | TOTALS | 24.4 | 24.8 | 1.6 | 26.4 | 34.2 | 29.5 |

# Table 9. (continued) Off-farm employment and income, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959

| | | Proportion of farm operators working 100 or more days off the farm | | Percentage change in proportion 1954 to 1959 | Proportion of farm operators with off-farm family income greater than gross farm income | | Percentage change in proportion 1954 to 1959 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | 1954 | 1959 | | 1954 | 1959 | |
| | | (percent of total operators) | | | (percent of total operators) | | |
| COASTAL PLAIN | Beaufort | 16.7 | 18.0 | 7.8 | 12.7 | 19.2 | 51.2 |
| | Edgecombe | 4.4 | 11.3 | 156.8 | 4.7 | 11.8 | 151.1 |
| | Martin | 8.3 | 12.6 | 51.8 | 7.7 | 11.1 | 44.2 |
| | Nash | 9.1 | 14.1 | 54.9 | 7.2 | 14.7 | 104.2 |
| | Pitt | 4.8 | 9.7 | 102.1 | 3.7 | 9.4 | 154.1 |
| | Wilson | 5.7 | 9.5 | 66.7 | 4.8 | 7.0 | 45.8 |
| | TOTALS | 7.8 | 12.3 | 57.7 | 6.4 | 12.1 | 89.1 |
| NEUSE | Carteret | 40.3 | 35.7 | - 11.4 | 45.0 | 54.1 | 20.2 |
| | Craven | 18.1 | 20.0 | 10.5 | 19.5 | 29.1 | 49.2 |
| | Greene | 3.4 | 5.1 | 50.0 | 4.1 | 5.5 | 34.1 |
| | Jones | 10.6 | 15.6 | 47.2 | 10.0 | 17.2 | 72.0 |
| | Lenoir | 5.1 | 11.2 | 119.6 | 5.1 | 12.6 | 147.1 |
| | Onslow | 21.7 | 25.6 | 18.0 | 16.1 | 26.3 | 63.4 |
| | Pamlico | 25.9 | 29.8 | 15.1 | 33.9 | 36.3 | 7.1 |
| | Wayne | 6.4 | 12.1 | 89.1 | 4.6 | 14.5 | 215.2 |
| | TOTALS | 11.2 | 15.1 | 34.8 | 10.9 | 18.3 | 67.9 |
| CAPITAL | Franklin | 8.8 | 15.3 | 73.9 | 11.0 | 17.9 | 62.7 |
| | Granville | 11.1 | 10.8 | - 2.7 | 10.8 | 11.0 | 1.9 |
| | Harnett | 14.3 | 22.7 | 58.7 | 14.7 | 26.4 | 79.6 |
| | Johnston | 9.0 | 13.8 | 53.3 | 8.7 | 14.5 | 66.7 |
| | Vance | 11.4 | 11.0 | - 3.5 | 9.8 | 12.1 | 23.5 |
| | Wake | 18.9 | 21.9 | 15.9 | 17.8 | 22.4 | 25.8 |
| | Warren | 16.2 | 16.6 | 2.5 | 17.4 | 23.4 | 34.5 |
| | TOTALS | 12.7 | 16.3 | 28.3 | 11.8 | 18.2 | 54.2 |
| SENCLAND & SOUTHEASTERN | Bladen | 26.7 | 25.7 | - 3.7 | 27.3 | 27.1 | - .7 |
| | Brunswick | 22.8 | 30.0 | 31.6 | 22.2 | 40.7 | 83.3 |
| | Columbus | 15.3 | 22.4 | 46.4 | 15.5 | 22.7 | 46.5 |
| | Duplin | 9.6 | 18.8 | 95.8 | 10.8 | 17.8 | 64.8 |
| | New Hanover | 46.5 | 39.7 | - 14.6 | 65.2 | 58.4 | -10.4 |
| | Pender | 28.2 | 31.9 | 13.1 | 34.7 | 42.9 | 23.6 |
| | TOTALS | 18.6 | 24.0 | 29.0 | 20.1 | 26.6 | 32.3 |

## Table 9. (continued) Off-farm employment and income, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1954 to 1959

| | | Proportion of farm operators working 100 or more days off the farm | | Percentage change in proportion 1954 to 1959 | Proportion of farm operators with off-farm family income greater than gross farm income | | Percentage change in proportion 1954 to 1959 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | 1954 | 1959 | | 1954 | 1959 | |
| | | (percent of total operators) | | | (percent of total operators) | | |
| TAR HEEL | Robeson | 7.5 | 13.4 | 78.7 | 5.7 | 12.2 | 114.0 |
| | Scotland | 18.4 | 21.5 | 16.8 | 15.8 | 28.0 | 77.2 |
| | TOTALS | 8.9 | 14.3 | 60.7 | 7.1 | 14.1 | 98.6 |
| SANDHILLS | Hoke | 20.3 | 21.4 | 5.4 | 13.1 | 24.5. | 87.0 |
| | Lee | 24.8 | 32.3 | 30.2 | 19.1 | 36.1 | 89.0 |
| | Montgomery | 35.8 | 45.3 | 26.5 | 31.2 | 66.1 | 111.9 |
| | Moore | 31.4 | 40.3 | 28.3 | 36.8 | 46.9 | 27.4 |
| | Richmond | 24.3 | 32.5 | 33.7 | 26.8 | 39.9 | 48.9 |
| | TOTALS | 27.1 | 35.0 | 29.2 | 26.1 | 42.7 | 63.6 |
| PIEDMONT | Anson | 21.9 | 31.6 | 44.3 | 25.0 | 46.2 | 84.8 |
| | Cabarrus | 48.7 | 46.4 | - 4.7 | 52.4 | 62.2 | 18.7 |
| | Catawba | 56.8 | 49.3 | - 13.2 | 61.8 | 69.8 | 12.9 |
| | Cleveland | 30.6 | 38.6 | 26.1 | 30.7 | 46.0 | 49.8 |
| | Gaston | 56.3 | 49.9 | - 11.4 | 58.3 | 66.8 | 14.6 |
| | Iredell | 38.7 | 41.8 | 8.0 | 41.8 | 54.4 | 30.1 |
| | Lincoln | 46.1 | 43.3 | - 6.1 | 46.1 | 61.4 | 33.2 |
| | Mecklenburg | 49.7 | 44.4 | - 10.7 | 54.0 | 57.3 | 6.1 |
| | Rowan | 52.8 | 50.2 | - 4.9 | 56.4 | 63.4 | 12.4 |
| | Stanly | 47.4 | 47.7 | .6 | 43.6 | 54.8 | 25.7 |
| | Union | 40.6 | 44.8 | 10.3 | 39.5 | 56.0 | 41.8 |
| | TOTALS | 43.1 | 43.9 | 1.9 | 44.8 | 56.8 | 26.8 |
| NOT PARTICIPATING | Cumberland | 29.2 | 29.1 | - .3 | 29.8 | 35.6 | 19.5 |
| | Sampson | 12.7 | 17.8 | 40.2 | 14.0 | 21.5 | 53.6 |
| | TOTALS | 17.8 | 21.1 | 18.5 | 18.9 | 25.7 | 36.0 |
| | North Carolina | 25.2 | 26.6 | 5.6 | 26.7 | 33.8 | 26.6 |

Figure 13. Median family income in 1959

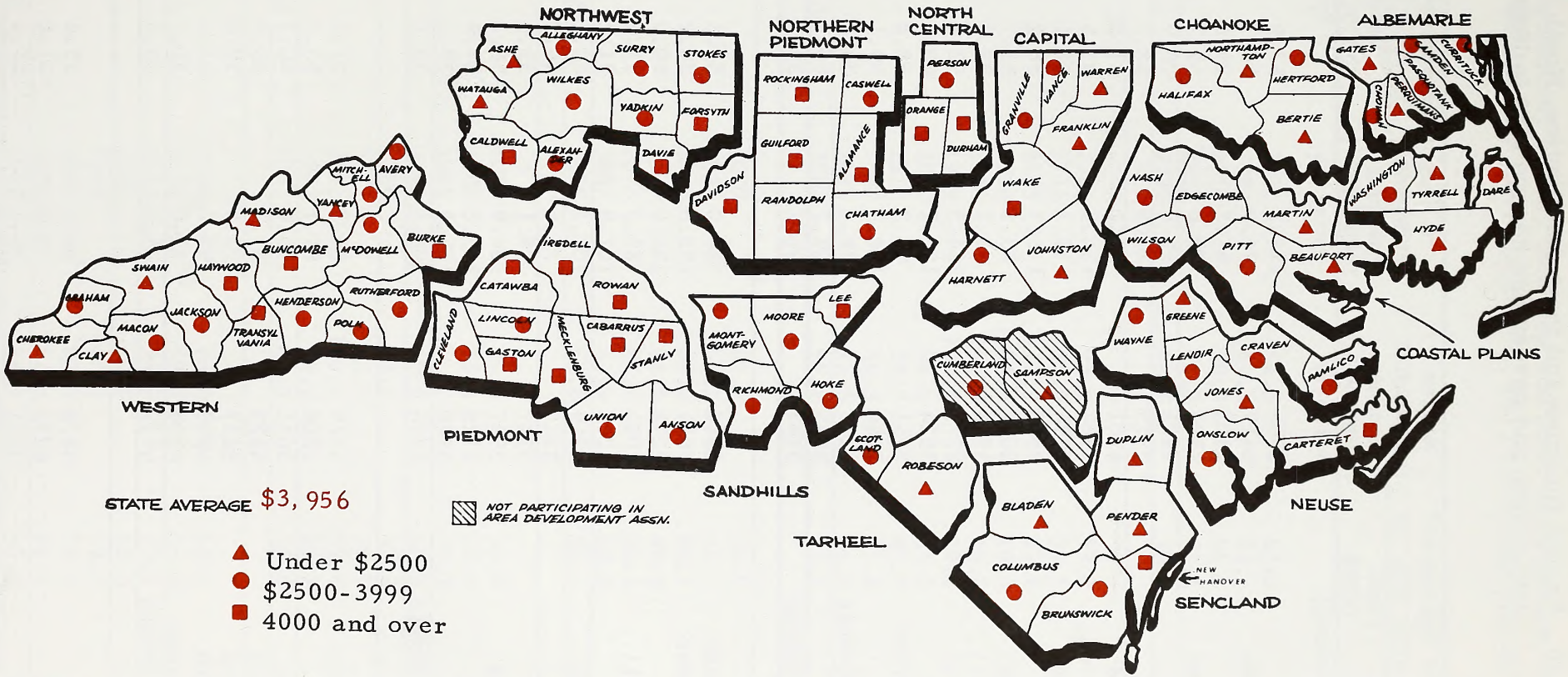


Table 10. Family incomes and their distribution, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1949 to 1959

| | | Median family income 1959 | Percentage change 1949-1959 | Percentage of families in 1959 with incomes: Under $3000 | Over $10,000 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | (dollars) | | (percent) | |
| WESTERN | Avery | 2569 | 114.1 | 57.9 | 2.7 |
| | Buncombe | 4419 | 76.9 | 30.1 | 8.5 |
| | Burke | 4303 | 91.7 | 29.0 | 5.2 |
| | Cherokee | 2396 | 108.0 | 59.2 | 3.1 |
| | Clay | 1921 | 92.9 | 70.9 | 2.0 |
| | Graham | 2525 | 101.2 | 58.0 | 1.9 |
| | Haywood | 4701 | 92.7 | 31.8 | 9.0 |
| | Henderson | 3984 | 124.3 | 35.5 | 6.4 |
| | Jackson | 2994 | 132.3 | 50.1 | 4.4 |
| | Macon | 2608 | 111.7 | 56.2 | 3.8 |
| | Madison | 2007 | 95.6 | 63.7 | 1.8 |
| | McDowell | 3786 | 79.1 | 35.5 | 3.9 |
| | Mitchell | 2779 | 124.3 | 53.8 | 4.0 |
| | Polk | 3524 | 122.2 | 42.4 | 5.8 |
| | Rutherford | 3751 | 96.3 | 38.0 | 4.7 |
| | Swain | 2484 | 108.9 | 59.1 | 2.2 |
| | Transylvania | 4172 | 139.6 | 35.4 | 6.5 |
| | Yancey | 2445 | 101.7 | 60.3 | 2.7 |
| | TOTALS | 3787 | 96.7 | 39.1 | 5.9 |
| NORTHWEST | Alleghany | 2910 | 189.0 | 51.3 | 2.7 |
| | Alexander | 3814 | 150.8 | 38.2 | 3.7 |
| | Ashe | 2296 | 134.0 | 60.9 | 2.1 |
| | Caldwell | 4054 | 85.9 | 31.4 | 5.2 |
| | Davie | 4204 | 107.9 | 31.2 | 5.0 |
| | Forsyth | 5549 | 101.1 | 20.1 | 13.1 |
| | Stokes | 3240 | 75.6 | 46.7 | 3.5 |
| | Surry | 3717 | 79.1 | 39.0 | 5.1 |
| | Watauga | 2497 | 134.9 | 58.7 | 3.3 |
| | Wilkes | 3126 | 122.8 | 47.9 | 3.9 |
| | Yadkin | 3760 | 105.5 | 39.1 | 4.3 |
| | TOTALS | 4344 | 105.4 | 33.1 | 7.9 |
| NORTHERN PIEDMONT | Alamance | 5379 | 84.3 | 21.1 | 9.5 |
| | Caswell | 2806 | 81.7 | 53.0 | 3.7 |
| | Chatham | 3611 | 115.8 | 40.3 | 3.5 |
| | Davidson | 4623 | 87.4 | 25.9 | 6.5 |
| | Guilford | 5417 | 77.9 | 20.6 | 12.5 |
| | Randolph | 4593 | 98.7 | 27.4 | 5.5 |
| | Rockingham | 4338 | 82.0 | 31.7 | 5.9 |
| | TOTALS | 4929 | 85.0 | 25.3 | 9.1 |
| NORTH CENTRAL | Durham | 4876 | 64.7 | 25.6 | 10.1 |
| | Orange | 4271 | 73.8 | 31.6 | 11.8 |
| | Person | 3231 | 75.1 | 47.1 | 3.6 |
| | TOTALS | 4507 | 67.0 | 30.0 | 9.6 |

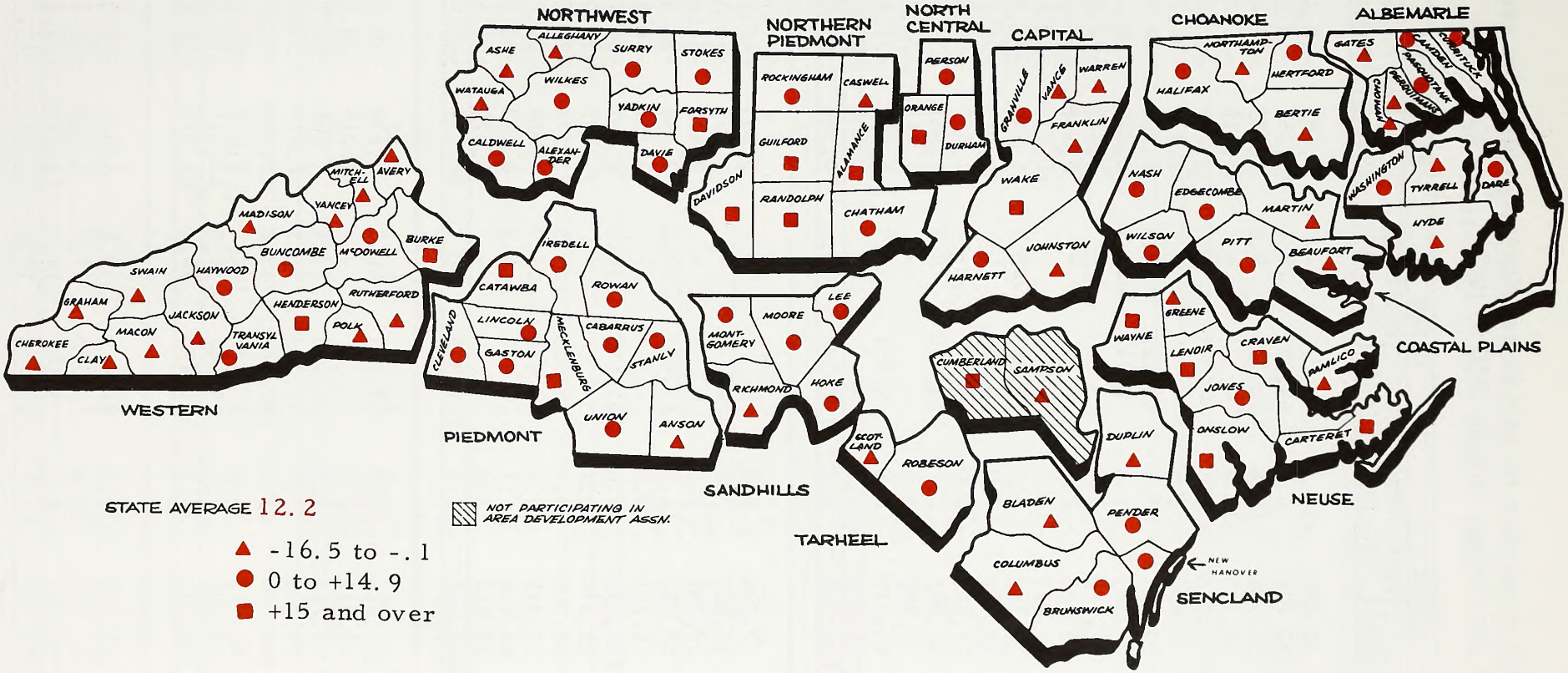
Table 10. (continued) Family incomes and their distribution, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1949 to 1959

| | | Median family income 1959 | Percentage change 1949-1959 | Percentage of families in 1959 with incomes: Under $3000 | Over $10,000 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | (dollars) | | (percent) | |
| CHOANOKE | Bertie | 2117 | 52.3 | 63.3 | 3.1 |
| | Halifax | 2797 | 65.1 | 52.6 | 4.6 |
| | Hertford | 2714 | 90.3 | 54.5 | 4.3 |
| | Northampton | 2255 | 75.2 | 61.6 | 3.5 |
| | TOTALS | 2550 | 69.0 | 56.7 | 4.0 |
| ALBEMARLE | Camden | 2792 | 95.1 | 53.1 | 2.2 |
| | Chowan | 2714 | 84.0 | 55.5 | 3.4 |
| | Currituck | 3485 | 117.9 | 41.8 | 3.3 |
| | Dare | 3226 | 96.6 | 46.3 | 3.2 |
| | Gates | 2260 | 143.8 | 60.8 | 2.7 |
| | Hyde | 1979 | 109.6 | 68.6 | 4.8 |
| | Pasquotank | 3630 | 84.4 | 41.3 | 6.1 |
| | Perquimans | 2370 | 88.2 | 62.0 | 2.0 |
| | Tyrrell | 1927 | 68.3 | 71.8 | 2.2 |
| | Washington | 3495 | 91.6 | 44.7 | 4.5 |
| | TOTALS | 3003 | 94.9 | 51.1 | 4.0 |
| COASTAL PLAIN | Beaufort | 2409 | 69.5 | 59.0 | 3.1 |
| | Edgecombe | 2935 | 48.2 | 51.1 | 5.0 |
| | Martin | 2366 | 68.6 | 60.7 | 2.9 |
| | Nash | 3119 | 66.5 | 48.6 | 5.2 |
| | Pitt | 2675 | 67.1 | 54.2 | 5.6 |
| | Wilson | 3087 | 61.9 | 48.9 | 5.5 |
| | TOTALS | 2829 | 62.6 | 52.7 | 4.9 |
| NEUSE | Carteret | 4058 | 89.5 | 35.0 | 5.4 |
| | Craven | 3708 | 78.4 | 40.4 | 6.2 |
| | Greene | 1451 | - .3 | 70.3 | 3.1 |
| | Jones | 2238 | 60.9 | 60.3 | 2.9 |
| | Lenoir | 3248 | 93.1 | 47.2 | 5.8 |
| | Onslow | 3729 | 62.6 | 36.3 | 4.5 |
| | Pamlico | 2851 | 109.9 | 52.6 | 2.5 |
| | Wayne | 3022 | 96.0 | 49.7 | 4.4 |
| | TOTALS | 3327 | 83.2 | 44.8 | 4.9 |
| CAPITAL | Franklin | 2366 | 64.0 | 58.3 | 2.9 |
| | Granville | 2932 | 59.3 | 51.0 | 4.7 |
| | Harnett | 2972 | 54.9 | 50.5 | 3.9 |
| | Johnston | 2469 | 65.0 | 58.6 | 3.3 |
| | Vance | 3046 | 48.2 | 49.4 | 5.0 |
| | Wake | 4880 | 85.8 | 29.1 | 11.5 |
| | Warren | 1958 | 62.5 | 64.3 | 3.4 |
| | TOTALS | 3642 | 78.5 | 43.6 | 7.2 |

Table 10. (continued) Family incomes and their distribution, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1949 to 1959

| | | Median family income 1959 | Percentage change 1949-1959 | Percentage of families in 1959 with incomes: | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | Under $3000 | Over $10,000 |
| | | (dollars) | | (percent) | |
| SENCLAND & SOUTHEASTERN | Bladen | 2446 | 62.3 | 59.0 | 3.2 |
| | Brunswick | 2678 | 83.6 | 55.1 | 2.6 |
| | Columbus | 2572 | 75.8 | 56.9 | 4.2 |
| | Duplin | 2151 | 88.5 | 62.6 | 2.9 |
| | New Hanover | 4336 | 92.7 | 32.6 | 7.8 |
| | Pender | 2376 | 97.5 | 59.8 | 1.8 |
| | TOTALS | 3074 | 87.1 | 50.0 | 4.8 |
| TAR HEEL | Robeson | 2247 | 51.7 | 60.1 | 3.2 |
| | Scotland | 2919 | 88.3 | 51.3 | 4.4 |
| | TOTALS | 2403 | 60.5 | 58.1 | 3.5 |
| SANDHILLS | Hoke | 2733 | 153.3 | 53.3 | 3.7 |
| | Lee | 4097 | 82.7 | 35.9 | 6.9 |
| | Montgomery | 3365 | 106.6 | 44.8 | 3.0 |
| | Moore | 3550 | 84.3 | 42.5 | 5.6 |
| | Richmond | 3774 | 54.8 | 40.0 | 4.8 |
| | TOTALS | 3620 | 79.4 | 41.8 | 5.1 |
| PIEDMONT | Anson | 2763 | 101.5 | 53.5 | 3.0 |
| | Cabarrus | 4906 | 72.4 | 23.9 | 5.8 |
| | Catawba | 4781 | 91.7 | 23.6 | 6.8 |
| | Cleveland | 3901 | 90.4 | 36.5 | 5.1 |
| | Gaston | 4694 | 75.0 | 25.7 | 6.7 |
| | Iredell | 4300 | 91.9 | 30.6 | 6.0 |
| | Lincoln | 3847 | 102.0 | 36.8 | 5.4 |
| | Mecklenburg | 5632 | 77.1 | 20.5 | 15.3 |
| | Rowan | 4659 | 68.5 | 26.0 | 5.6 |
| | Stanly | 4237 | 84.1 | 29.9 | 4.4 |
| | Union | 3837 | 118.1 | 37.6 | 4.8 |
| | TOTALS | 4774 | 83.5 | 26.8 | 8.6 |
| NOT PARTICIPATING | Cumberland | 3809 | 61.7 | 34.4 | 5.3 |
| | Sampson | 2283 | 99.9 | 61.2 | 2.7 |
| | TOTALS | 3421 | 77.5 | 41.3 | 4.6 |
| | North Carolina | 3956 | 86.5 | 37.2 | 6.9 |

Figure 14. Percentage change in total population, 1950-1960



## Table 11. Total population by residence, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1950 to 1960

| | | TOTAL | | URBAN | | RURAL FARM | | RURAL NON-FARM | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | 1960 | Perct.Chg. 1950-1960 | 1960 | Perct.Chg. 1950-1960 | 1960 | Perct.Chg. 1950-1960 | 1960 | Perct.Chg. 1950-1960 |
| WESTERN | Avery | 12,009 | -10.1 | - | - | 2,695 | -68.1 | 9,314 | 89.9 |
| | Buncombe | 130,074 | 4.6 | 68,592 | 17.4 | 10,151 | -48.5 | 51,331 | 10.9 |
| | Burke | 52,701 | 15.8 | 12,127 | 9.8 | 2,085 | -77.4 | 38,489 | 52.3 |
| | Cherokee | 16,335 | -10.7 | - | - | 3,416 | -75.2 | 13,919 | 63.1 |
| | Clay | 5,526 | - 8.0 | - | - | 2,279 | -47.4 | 3,247 | 94.0 |
| | Graham | 6,432 | - 6.6 | - | - | 2,371 | -34.9 | 4,061 | 25.1 |
| | Haywood | 39,711 | 5.5 | 11,227 | 10.1 | 6,903 | -44.3 | 21,581 | 43.6 |
| | Henderson | 36,163 | 17.0 | 5,911 | - 3.1 | 4,356 | -60.2 | 25,896 | 86.5 |
| | Jackson | 17,780 | - 7.7 | - | - | 3,219 | -71.0 | 14,561 | 78.8 |
| | Macon | 14,935 | - 7.7 | - | - | 3,458 | -66.0 | 11,477 | 91.5 |
| | Madison | 17,217 | -16.1 | - | - | 10,321 | -30.4 | 6,896 | 21.1 |
| | McDowell | 26,742 | 4.0 | 3,345 | -40.7 | 1,399 | -81.7 | 21,998 | 77.1 |
| | Mitchell | 13,906 | - 8.2 | 2,504 | - | 4,059 | -55.7 | 7,343 | 23.0 |
| | Polk | 11,395 | - 2.0 | - | - | 1,557 | -69.6 | 9,838 | 51.4 |
| | Rutherford | 45,091 | - 2.7 | 14,030 | - 9.5 | 4,441 | -73.1 | 26,620 | 85.6 |
| | Swain | 8,387 | -15.5 | - | - | 1,363 | -74.3 | 7,024 | 51.9 |
| | Transylvania | 16,372 | 7.8 | 4,857 | 24.3 | 1,335 | -71.9 | 10,180 | 55.8 |
| | Yancey | 14,008 | -14.1 | - | - | 5,900 | -50.6 | 8,108 | 85.6 |
| | TOTALS | 484,784 | 1.2 | 122,593 | 10.6 | 70,308 | -59.8 | 291,883 | 50.9 |
| NORTHWEST | Alleghany | 7,734 | - 5.2 | - | - | 3,355 | -47.7 | 4,379 | 150.9 |
| | Alexander | 15,625 | 7.4 | - | - | 4,252 | -54.3 | 11,373 | 116.3 |
| | Ashe | 19,768 | - 9.6 | - | - | 9,835 | -44.4 | 9,933 | 136.6 |
| | Caldwell | 49,552 | 14.3 | 12,901 | 63.6 | 3,758 | -68.5 | 32,893 | 39.9 |
| | Davie | 16,728 | 8.5 | - | - | 3,351 | -50.5 | 13,377 | 54.6 |
| | Forsyth | 189,428 | 29.6 | 131,118 | 36.4 | 6,401 | -52.7 | 51,909 | 42.3 |
| | Stokes | 22,314 | 3.7 | - | - | 12,528 | -21.2 | 9,786 | 74.1 |
| | Surry | 48,205 | 5.7 | 9,923 | -23.5 | 13,576 | -28.0 | 24,706 | 79.5 |
| | Watauga | 17,529 | - 4.4 | 3,686 | 24.0 | 7,099 | -39.7 | 6,744 | 87.6 |
| | Wilkes | 45,269 | .1 | 4,197 | - 4.2 | 8,173 | -64.5 | 32,899 | 84.5 |
| | Yadkin | 22,804 | 3.0 | - | - | 8,626 | -40.5 | 14,178 | 85.5 |
| | TOTALS | 454,956 | 13.1 | 161,825 | 30.1 | 80,954 | -45.9 | 212,177 | 65.4 |
| NORTHERN PIEDMONT | Alamance | 85 ,674 | 20.3 | 43,865 | 48.3 | 7,739 | -39.9 | 34,070 | 18.5 |
| | Caswell | 19,912 | - 4.6 | - | - | 11,216 | -28.0 | 8,696 | 64.5 |
| | Chatham | 26,785 | 5.5 | 4,455 | 78.1 | 7,701 | -41.1 | 14,629 | 49.1 |
| | Davidson | 79,493 | 27.7 | 31,283 | 26.5 | 6,813 | -50.1 | 41,397 | 73.5 |
| | Guilford | 246,520 | 29.0 | 187,552 | 48.6 | 12,206 | -41.1 | 46,762 | 5.9 |
| | Randolph | 61,497 | 21.0 | 15,579 | 102.3 | 8,679 | -45.0 | 37,239 | 36.4 |
| | Rockingham | 69,629 | 7.4 | 28,641 | 14.9 | 14,421 | -30.3 | 26,567 | 38.4 |
| | TOTALS | 589,510 | 21.2 | 311,375 | 44.4 | 68,775 | -38.8 | 209,360 | 32.2 |
| NORTH CENTRAL | Durham | 111,995 | 10.2 | 84,642 | 15.4 | 4,039 | -48.0 | 23,314 | 13.7 |
| | Orange | 42,970 | 24.8 | 12,573 | 37.0 | 5,860 | -40.3 | 24,537 | 58.8 |
| | Person | 26,394 | 8.3 | 5,147 | 19.1 | 11,618 | -20.5 | 9,629 | 77.6 |
| | TOTALS | 181,359 | 13.0 | 102,362 | 17.8 | 21,517 | -33.2 | 57,480 | 38.9 |

Table 11. (continued) Total population by residence, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1950 to 1960

| | | TOTAL | | URBAN | | RURAL FARM | | RURAL NON-FARM | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | 1960 | Perct.Chg. 1950-1960 | 1960 | Perct.Chg. 1950-1960 | 1960 | Perct.Chg. 1950-1960 | 1960 | Perct.Chg. 1950-1960 |
| CHOANOKE | Bertie | 24,350 | - 7.9 | - | - | 11,638 | -30.7 | 12,712 | 31.9 |
| | Halifax | 58,956 | 1.0 | 19,272 | 37.1 | 17,998 | -32.8 | 21,686 | 23.6 |
| | Hertford | 22,718 | 5.9 | 7,226 | 101.9 | 6,867 | -32.7 | 8,625 | 12.3 |
| | Northampton | 26,811 | - 5.7 | - | - | 10,876 | -39.3 | 15,935 | 51.8 |
| | TOTALS | 132,835 | - 1.4 | 26,498 | 50.2 | 47,379 | -33.9 | 58,958 | 30.0 |
| ALBEMARLE | Camden | 5,598 | 7.2 | - | - | 1,504 | -33.1 | 4,094 | 37.6 |
| | Chowan | 11,729 | - 6.5 | 4,458 | - .2 | 3,635 | -40.6 | 3,636 | 85.9 |
| | Currituck | 6,601 | 6.5 | - | - | 1,243 | -56.8 | 5,358 | 61.0 |
| | Dare | 5,935 | 9.8 | - | - | 135 | +77.6 | 5,800 | 8.8 |
| | Gates | 9,254 | - 3.2 | - | - | 3,557 | -38.6 | 5,697 | 51.6 |
| | Hyde | 5,765 | -11.0 | - | - | 1,733 | -35.7 | 4,032 | 6.6 |
| | Pasquotank | 25,630 | 5.3 | 14,062 | 10.9 | 2,056 | -38.0 | 9,512 | 14.0 |
| | Perquimans | 9,178 | - 4.4 | - | - | 2,769 | -29.0 | 6,409 | 12.4 |
| | Tyrrell | 4,520 | -10.5 | - | - | 1,440 | -34.8 | 3,080 | 8.5 |
| | Washington | 13,488 | 2.3 | 4,666 | 4.0 | 2,432 | -50.2 | 6,390 | 67.8 |
| | TOTALS | 97,698 | .1 | 23,186 | 7.1 | 20,504 | -39.9 | 54,008 | 29.1 |
| COASTAL PLAIN | Beaufort | 36,014 | - 3.0 | 9,939 | -18.7 | 9,495 | -35.6 | 16,580 | 63.2 |
| | Edgecombe | 54,226 | 5.0 | 23,236 | 10.6 | 15,611 | -28.5 | 15,379 | 74.6 |
| | Martin | 27,139 | - 2.9 | 6,924 | 39.2 | 11,920 | -25.7 | 8,295 | 19.9 |
| | Nash | 61,002 | 1.8 | 17,322 | 16.9 | 22,921 | -25.4 | 20,759 | 44.4 |
| | Pitt | 69,942 | 9.6 | 29,965 | 52.4 | 19,854 | -34.3 | 20,123 | 44.9 |
| | Wilson | 57,716 | 5.9 | 28,753 | 25.0 | 15,592 | -31.1 | 13,371 | 50.8 |
| | TOTALS | 306,039 | 3.8 | 116,139 | 21.4 | 95,393 | -30.0 | 94,507 | 50.0 |
| NEUSE | Carteret | 30,940 | 34.2 | 8,505 | 1.8 | 1,529 | -42.4 | 20,906 | 73.5 |
| | Craven | 58,773 | 20.4 | 15,717 | - .6 | 7,203 | -30.3 | 35,853 | 58.1 |
| | Greene | 16,741 | - 7.1 | - | - | 10,364 | -30.4 | 6,377 | 103.2 |
| | Jones | 11,005 | 0 | - | - | 5,400 | -29.1 | 5,605 | 65.2 |
| | Lenoir | 55,276 | 20.3 | 24,819 | 35.4 | 12,191 | -33.8 | 18,266 | 98.5 |
| | Onslow | 82,706 | 96.7 | 17,655 | 130.4 | 6,738 | -37.5 | 58,313 | 147.0 |
| | Pamlico | 9,850 | - 1.4 | - | - | 1,628 | -43.3 | 8,222 | 15.4 |
| | Wayne | 82,059 | 27.7 | 33,517 | 33.1 | 16,686 | -31.3 | 31,856 | 115.3 |
| | TOTALS | 347,350 | 32.0 | 100,213 | 33.0 | 61,739 | -32.8 | 185,398 | 93.2 |
| CAPITAL | Franklin | 28,755 | - 8.3 | 2,862 | 12.5 | 13,848 | -34.0 | 12,045 | 54.0 |
| | Granville | 33,110 | 4.1 | 6,978 | 4.4 | 13,846 | -17.1 | 12,386 | 46.3 |
| | Harnett | 48,236 | 1.3 | 10,749 | 11.3 | 15,241 | -35.3 | 22,246 | 54.7 |
| | Johnston | 62,936 | - 4.5 | 12,521 | 52.5 | 26,058 | -32.8 | 24,357 | 28.8 |
| | Vance | 32,002 | - .3 | 12,740 | 15.9 | 9,203 | -27.1 | 10,059 | 18.5 |
| | Wake | 169,082 | 23.9 | 106,791 | 47.4 | 17,533 | -41.2 | 44,758 | 30.9 |
| | Warren | 19,652 | -16.5 | - | - | 9,261 | -45.6 | 10,391 | 59.8 |
| | TOTALS | 393,773 | 6.8 | 152,641 | 38.1 | 104,990 | -34.2 | 136,142 | 37.9 |

Table 11. (continued) Total population by residence, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1950 to 1960

| | | TOTAL | | URBAN | | RURAL FARM | | RURAL NON-FARM | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | 1960 | Perct.Chg. 1950-1960 | 1960 | Perct.Chg. 1950-1960 | 1960 | Perct.Chg. 1950-1960 | 1960 | Perct.Chg. 1950-1960 |
| SENCLAND & SOUTHEASTERN | Bladen | 28,881 | - 2.8 | - | - | 12,090 | -31.4 | 16,791 | 39.1 |
| | Brunswick | 20,278 | 5.4 | - | - | 5,714 | -42.7 | 14,564 | 57.3 |
| | Columbus | 48,973 | - 3.3 | 4,683 | 10.5 | 21,950 | -26.8 | 22,340 | 36.4 |
| | Duplin | 40,270 | - 2.0 | 29 | - | 19,928 | -26.2 | 20,313 | 44.2 |
| | New Hanover | 71,742 | 13.4 | 49,533 | 10.0 | 354 | -79.6 | 21,855 | 32.5 |
| | Pender | 18,508 | .5 | - | - | 5,787 | -46.1 | 12,721 | 65.3 |
| | TOTALS | 228,652 | 2.8 | 54,245 | 10.1 | 65,823 | -32.2 | 108,584 | 42.9 |
| TAR HEEL | Robeson | 89,102 | 1.5 | 18,072 | 96.7 | 37,905 | -20.5 | 33,125 | 7.3 |
| | Scotland | 25,183 | - 4.4 | 8,242 | 15.5 | 4,518 | -53.8 | 12,423 | 31.7 |
| | TOTALS | 114,285 | .2 | 26,314 | 61.2 | 42,423 | -26.2 | 45,548 | 13.0 |
| SANDHILLS | Hoke[a/] | 16,356 | 3.8 | 3,058 | - | 5,827 | -41.0 | 7,471 | 27.2 |
| | Lee | 26,561 | 12.9 | 12,253 | 22.4 | 4,735 | -42.7 | 9,573 | 82.5 |
| | Montgomery | 18,408 | 6.7 | - | - | 2,614 | -54.8 | 15,794 | 37.6 |
| | Moore[a/] | 36,733 | 10.9 | 5,198 | 21.7 | 6,952 | -41.8 | 24,583 | 45.3 |
| | Richmond | 39,202 | - 1.0 | 13,183 | - 3.0 | 3,541 | -58.7 | 22,478 | 29.1 |
| | TOTALS | 137,260 | 6.2 | 33,692 | 20.8 | 23,669 | -46.8 | 79,899 | 40.3 |
| PIEDMONT | Anson | 24,962 | - 6.8 | 3,744 | 9.9 | 5,826 | -54.5 | 15,392 | 45.6 |
| | Cabarrus | 68,137 | 6.8 | 46,162 | 9.6 | 4,197 | -53.1 | 17,778 | 39.8 |
| | Catawba | 73,191 | 18.4 | 32,257 | 55.1 | 5,389 | -63.3 | 35,545 | 35.0 |
| | Cleveland | 66,048 | 2.6 | 25,706 | 13.2 | 12,323 | -52.2 | 28,019 | 76.7 |
| | Gaston | 127,074 | 14.7 | 78,537 | 28.3 | 3,115 | -70.6 | 45,422 | 16.4 |
| | Iredell | 62,526 | 11.1 | 26,762 | 11.4 | 9,003 | -50.7 | 26,761 | 91.0 |
| | Lincoln | 28,814 | 4.9 | 5,699 | 5.1 | 6,070 | -49.3 | 17,045 | 69.3 |
| | Mecklenburg | 272,111 | 38.1 | 212,124 | 50.5 | 4,562 | -68.7 | 55,425 | 33.4 |
| | Rowan | 82,817 | 9.8 | 39,060 | 26.1 | 5,345 | -62.5 | 38,412 | 27.2 |
| | Stanly | 40,873 | 10.1 | 12,261 | 3.9 | 5,074 | -53.4 | 23,538 | 62.8 |
| | Union | 44,670 | 6.3 | 10,882 | 7.3 | 11,490 | -51.0 | 22,298 | 164.4 |
| | TOTALS | 891,223 | 16.8 | 493,194 | 32.0 | 72,394 | -56.4 | 325,635 | 45.9 |
| NOT PARTICIPATING | Cumberland | 148,418 | 54.6 | 70,183 | 84.0 | 9,907 | -34.9 | 68,328 | 60.2 |
| | Sampson | 48,013 | - 3.5 | 7,461 | 69.0 | 22,604 | -32.6 | 17,948 | 51.6 |
| | TOTALS | 196,431 | 34.7 | 77,644 | 82.4 | 32,511 | -33.3 | 86,276 | 58.3 |
| | North Carolina | 4,556,155 | 12.2 | 1,801,921 | 31.7 | 808,379 | -41.3 | 1,945,855 | 47.7 |

a/ Part of Hoke annexed to Moore since 1950.

Figure 15. Percentage change in total employment, 1950-1960

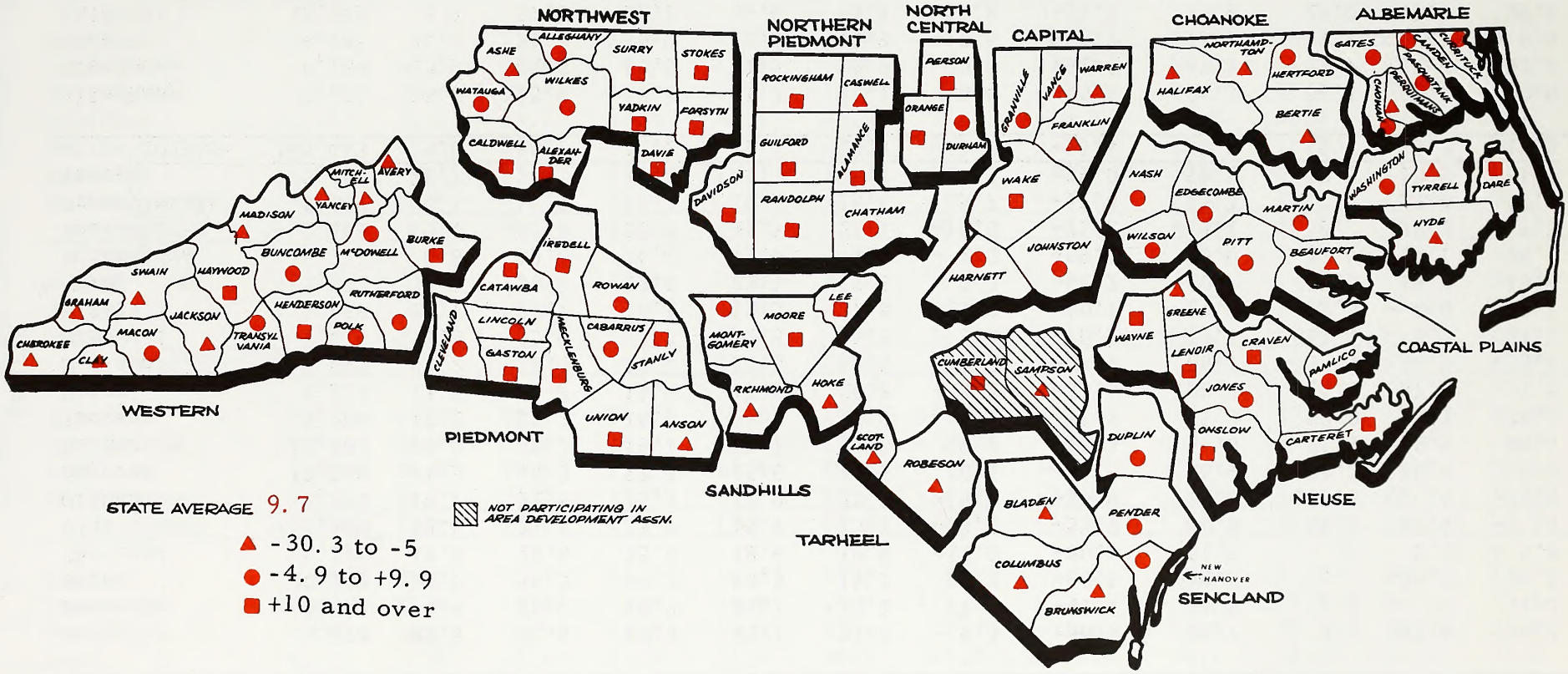


Table 12. Industrial employment distribution, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1950 to 1960

| | | Total employment, 1960 | Distribution in percent of total, 1960 | | | | | Percentage change, 1950-1960 | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Agr., forest, fish and min. | Manuf. | Trade | Service | Other | Total employed | Agr., forest, fish and min. | Manuf. | Trade | Service | Other |
| WESTERN | Avery | 3,418 | 22.8 | 22.6 | 10.6 | 22.1 | 21.9 | - 9.3 | -56.6 | 34.7 | 8.1 | 47.6 | 36.2 |
| | Buncombe | 48,618 | 4.9 | 28.4 | 18.9 | 24.7 | 23.1 | 7.7 | -41.1 | 36.8 | 2.8 | .5 | 11.2 |
| | Burke | 20,222 | 2.9 | 54.3 | 10.2 | 18.5 | 14.1 | 25.2 | -60.4 | 32.3 | 8.4 | 36.5 | 64.6 |
| | Cherokee | 4,170 | 19.9 | 26.6 | 15.9 | 18.6 | 19.0 | -17.0 | -60.1 | 61.5 | .5 | 2.2 | - 5.6 |
| | Clay | 1,420 | 32.4 | 21.1 | 13.9 | 18.9 | 13.7 | -13.6 | -53.9 | 60.8 | 66.9 | 87.4 | - .5 |
| | Graham | 1,570 | 19.2 | 22.8 | 15.7 | 17.0 | 25.3 | -15.5 | -56.9 | 12.6 | 105.8 | .4 | -12.6 |
| | Haywood | 13,568 | 11.3 | 45.3 | 13.3 | 15.6 | 14.5 | 10.5 | -41.5 | 26.9 | 30.2 | 30.6 | 9.0 |
| | Henderson | 12,902 | 10.0 | 32.7 | 16.1 | 19.7 | 21.5 | 19.2 | -47.3 | 67.0 | 21.5 | 22.5 | 34.4 |
| | Jackson | 5,286 | 11.2 | 25.2 | 16.8 | 24.8 | 22.0 | - 5.3 | -71.5 | 25.3 | 58.0 | 35.3 | 28.4 |
| | Macon | 4,533 | 17.5 | 25.8 | 14.4 | 17.5 | 24.8 | - 3.2 | -63.6 | 108.8 | 26.4 | 37.6 | 31.6 |
| | Madison | 5,095 | 41.2 | 18.0 | 13.4 | 13.6 | 13.8 | -19.7 | -47.9 | 68.1 | 56.5 | 14.9 | - 3.4 |
| | McDowell | 9,419 | 3.6 | 55.0 | 13.3 | 12.6 | 15.5 | 5.3 | -70.2 | 15.7 | 17.4 | 3.7 | 31.1 |
| | Mitchell | 4,056 | 26.1 | 27.7 | 16.1 | 12.3 | 17.8 | -11.2 | -40.1 | 21.0 | 32.3 | - 8.6 | -13.1 |
| | Polk | 3,872 | 10.1 | 36.4 | 12.6 | 23.4 | 17.5 | - 1.3 | -62.2 | 20.7 | 35.0 | 18.7 | 13.6 |
| | Rutherford | 16,317 | 6.6 | 49.6 | 14.4 | 15.0 | 14.4 | - 2.0 | -69.0 | 12.0 | 22.4 | 12.1 | 26.1 |
| | Swain | 2,149 | 9.4 | 22.8 | 20.2 | 21.5 | 26.1 | -19.0 | -77.2 | - 9.4 | 49.7 | 38.2 | - 7.3 |
| | Transylvania | 5,080 | 6.7 | 44.5 | 13.2 | 19.2 | 16.4 | 5.7 | -57.8 | 15.3 | 17.1 | 23.9 | 22.6 |
| | Yancey | 3,748 | 28.7 | 30.1 | 11.2 | 12.3 | 17.7 | -20.3 | -59.0 | 59.2 | 40.8 | 10.3 | 1.4 |
| | TOTALS | 165,443 | 9.8 | 36.7 | 15.2 | 19.4 | 18.9 | 3.7 | -55.4 | 30.2 | 15.7 | 13.2 | 17.5 |
| NORTHWEST | Alleghany | 2,858 | 28.2 | 33.9 | 10.1 | 11.7 | 16.1 | 6.4 | -46.5 | 206.3 | 38.1 | 23.7 | 20.8 |
| | Alexander | 6,168 | 12.9 | 52.3 | 10.0 | 11.9 | 12.9 | 20.8 | -52.6 | 67.5 | 21.7 | 53.5 | 53.4 |
| | Ashe | 6,185 | 34.0 | 31.3 | 10.0 | 12.8 | 11.9 | -10.6 | -52.2 | 215.7 | 9.7 | 42.7 | - 6.6 |
| | Caldwell | 18,449 | 2.9 | 57.3 | 12.1 | 14.6 | 13.1 | 22.2 | -59.7 | 25.9 | 25.0 | 45.8 | 39.6 |
| | Davie | 6,424 | 11.1 | 46.0 | 11.5 | 17.1 | 14.3 | 11.7 | -51.4 | 18.0 | 38.8 | 83.9 | 41.6 |
| | Forsyth | 75,622 | 2.3 | 40.8 | 14.9 | 20.2 | 21.8 | 24.5 | -43.2 | 27.2 | 13.2 | 32.7 | 37.6 |
| | Stokes | 8,352 | 39.5 | 33.0 | 7.7 | 8.1 | 11.7 | 17.1 | -25.4 | 144.4 | 60.8 | 72.3 | 24.1 |
| | Surry | 19,301 | 22.7 | 37.8 | 13.5 | 12.4 | 13.6 | 17.2 | -16.5 | 36.4 | 33.9 | 27.5 | 27.7 |
| | Watauga | 5,503 | 22.5 | 16.8 | 15.0 | 25.9 | 19.8 | .4 | -53.6 | 104.9 | 44.4 | 51.4 | 28.9 |
| | Wilkes | 14,660 | 12.1 | 42.6 | 15.0 | 13.9 | 16.4 | 3.2 | -57.7 | 35.8 | 20.6 | 25.2 | 22.3 |
| | Yadkin | 9,022 | 25.9 | 37.6 | 11.1 | 12.5 | 12.9 | 16.1 | -35.6 | 93.5 | 49.0 | 50.3 | 20.4 |
| | TOTALS | 172,544 | 11.4 | 41.2 | 13.3 | 16.6 | 17.5 | 17.1 | -41.3 | 38.7 | 21.5 | 37.1 | 32.6 |

Table 12. (continued) Industrial employment distribution, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1950 to 1960

| | Total employment, 1960 | Distribution in percent of total, 1960 | | | | | Percentage change, 1950-1960 | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Agr., forest, fish and min. | Manuf. | Trade | Service | Other | Total employed | Agr., forest, fish and min. | Manuf. | Trade | Service | Other |
| NORTHERN PIEDMONT | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Alamance | 36,855 | 5.2 | 51.3 | 12.9 | 15.0 | 15.6 | 20.4 | -36.2 | 26.5 | 16.2 | 29.1 | 34.0 |
| Caswell | 6,170 | 40.0 | 25.8 | 9.5 | 13.5 | 11.2 | - 6.2 | -39.3 | 56.5 | 62.2 | 65.5 | 9.5 |
| Chatham | 10,200 | 15.9 | 39.5 | 12.9 | 16.9 | 14.8 | 9.2 | -45.5 | 34.9 | 25.7 | 57.4 | 22.0 |
| Davidson | 32,887 | 4.7 | 53.7 | 13.2 | 12.4 | 16.0 | 29.7 | -46.2 | 30.9 | 46.4 | 39.3 | 69.7 |
| Guilford | 104,425 | 3.0 | 37.6 | 17.9 | 19.5 | 22.0 | 24.8 | -35.6 | 25.0 | 18.3 | 25.2 | 50.1 |
| Randolph | 25,266 | 7.2 | 57.3 | 11.8 | 10.5 | 13.2 | 19.6 | -39.9 | 33.9 | 35.6 | 27.0 | 11.2 |
| Rockingham | 28,186 | 11.0 | 46.2 | 13.0 | 14.9 | 14.9 | 10.1 | -42.1 | 21.8 | 21.2 | 26.6 | 31.3 |
| TOTALS | 243,989 | 6.4 | 44.7 | 14.9 | 16.1 | 17.9 | 20.6 | -40.3 | 27.6 | 23.2 | 29.2 | 42.1 |
| NORTH CENTRAL | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Durham | 44,735 | 2.4 | 27.2 | 15.6 | 31.6 | 23.2 | 9.4 | -45.3 | - .3 | - 7.8 | 28.1 | 28.0 |
| Orange | 15,816 | 9.7 | 18.0 | 12.4 | 42.8 | 17.1 | 30.6 | -32.4 | 7.3 | 36.6 | 69.0 | 54.8 |
| Person | 9,334 | 29.9 | 30.7 | 13.1 | 14.9 | 11.4 | 16.5 | -25.7 | 58.2 | 60.6 | 62.7 | 28.5 |
| TOTALS | 69,885 | 7.7 | 25.6 | 14.6 | 31.9 | 20.2 | 14.6 | -32.4 | 7.3 | 4.1 | 40.3 | 32.4 |
| CHOANOKE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bertie | 7,233 | 41.7 | 19.2 | 14.3 | 14.6 | 10.2 | -22.3 | -48.7 | 29.2 | 23.8 | 12.4 | 26.0 |
| Halifax | 18,533 | 26.0 | 26.9 | 16.6 | 17.7 | 12.8 | - 8.0 | -36.2 | - 4.8 | 25.5 | 21.0 | 9.1 |
| Hertford | 7,055 | 26.0 | 19.5 | 17.6 | 21.1 | 15.8 | - .9 | -41.3 | 13.4 | 33.2 | 54.2 | 26.0 |
| Northampton | 7,850 | 38.2 | 20.3 | 13.1 | 15.7 | 12.7 | -10.5 | -39.8 | 28.2 | 43.2 | 28.3 | 14.3 |
| TOTALS | 40,671 | 31.2 | 23.0 | 15.7 | 17.3 | 12.8 | -10.3 | -41.2 | 6.6 | 29.3 | 26.6 | 15.6 |
| ALBEMARLE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Camden | 1,698 | 28.0 | 21.1 | 14.4 | 18.8 | 17.7 | 3.6 | -32.8 | 12.9 | 71.8 | 54.1 | 13.6 |
| Chowan | 4,050 | 26.8 | 19.3 | 17.0 | 20.0 | 16.9 | - 1.0 | -23.1 | 4.6 | 21.9 | 18.4 | .1 |
| Currituck | 2,051 | 27.8 | 14.5 | 11.3 | 18.9 | 27.5 | 3.1 | -31.8 | 17.4 | 24.7 | 44.2 | 26.8 |
| Dare | 1,772 | 15.8 | 5.6 | 17.8 | 21.9 | 38.9 | 17.9 | -29.1 | 54.7 | 14.1 | 50.6 | 35.3 |
| Gates | 2,760 | 34.9 | 26.3 | 10.7 | 15.7 | 12.4 | - 4.9 | -38.3 | 31.5 | 28.7 | 61.0 | 18.0 |
| Hyde | 1,686 | 44.9 | 10.3 | 13.0 | 15.1 | 16.7 | -17.4 | -24.8 | 43.0 | - 3.9 | -20.1 | -23.4 |
| Pasquotank | 8,472 | 10.3 | 21.5 | 20.1 | 24.5 | 23.6 | 2.5 | -27.5 | 3.6 | 3.4 | 9.9 | 12.9 |
| Perquimans | 2,823 | 33.3 | 16.5 | 18.2 | 16.3 | 15.7 | - 6.5 | -23.9 | -21.8 | 32.4 | 10.3 | 15.3 |
| Tyrrell | 1,354 | 27.7 | 20.0 | 16.5 | 21.3 | 14.5 | -17.0 | -37.9 | -32.9 | 31.8 | 35.2 | -18.7 |
| Washington | 4,088 | 17.0 | 37.3 | 15.8 | 17.1 | 12.8 | - 1.3 | -41.1 | 6.7 | 39.7 | 17.8 | 9.6 |
| TOTALS | 30,754 | 22.8 | 21.2 | 16.5 | 19.9 | 19.6 | - 1.5 | -30.8 | 4.4 | 18.3 | 19.5 | 10.9 |

Table 12. (continued) Industrial employment distribution, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1950 to 1960

| | | Total employment, 1960 | Distribution in percent of total, 1960 | | | | | Percentage change, 1950-1960 | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Agr., forest, fish and min. | Manuf. | Trade | Service | Other | Total employed | Agr., forest, fish and min. | Manuf. | Trade | Service | Other |
| COASTAL PLAIN | Beaufort | 11,061 | 27.0 | 16.7 | 19.2 | 18.6 | 18.5 | -10.0 | -39.4 | 20.3 | 6.2 | - .7 | 16.5 |
| | Edgecombe | 17,995 | 26.4 | 18.6 | 16.6 | 18.8 | 19.6 | - 1.8 | -32.4 | 36.3 | 21.0 | 7.6 | 9.2 |
| | Martin | 8,536 | 38.3 | 14.5 | 15.8 | 18.0 | 13.4 | - 3.8 | -30.9 | 21.8 | 32.3 | 37.0 | 15.7 |
| | Nash | 20,086 | 28.8 | 19.6 | 16.5 | 17.8 | 17.3 | - 2.7 | -41.1 | 73.3 | 19.7 | 33.6 | 11.4 |
| | Pitt | 22,353 | 29.1 | 13.9 | 18.6 | 22.7 | 15.7 | 5.2 | -37.5 | 99.9 | 38.2 | 39.7 | 32.9 |
| | Wilson | 19,596 | 22.6 | 17.8 | 17.8 | 22.6 | 19.2 | 3.8 | -41.8 | 79.6 | 16.2 | 28.8 | 30.2 |
| | TOTALS | 99,627 | 27.8 | 17.0 | 17.5 | 20.2 | 17.5 | - .6 | -37.7 | 57.4 | 22.1 | 24.7 | 19.4 |
| NEUSE | Carteret | 8,068 | 11.7 | 10.3 | 23.0 | 18.7 | 36.3 | 11.9 | -52.9 | 4.7 | 66.8 | 37.1 | 33.1 |
| | Craven | 14,999 | 16.0 | 16.2 | 19.3 | 18.1 | 30.4 | 10.6 | -31.2 | 50.3 | 29.6 | 15.6 | 17.7 |
| | Greene | 4,531 | 62.5 | 8.5 | 9.8 | 11.9 | 7.3 | -17.5 | -34.2 | 325.6 | 47.4 | 30.8 | -13.8 |
| | Jones | 3,186 | 47.1 | 9.6 | 8.5 | 14.9 | 19.9 | .1 | -31.0 | 18.6 | 56.1 | 68.2 | 116.8 |
| | Lenoir | 18,016 | 21.6 | 17.9 | 18.9 | 23.3 | 18.3 | 14.6 | -31.5 | 60.4 | 28.5 | 34.1 | 46.3 |
| | Onslow | 11,874 | 12.6 | 4.6 | 24.1 | 24.2 | 34.5 | 41.2 | -51.2 | - 7.0 | 124.3 | 104.1 | 97.7 |
| | Pamlico | 2,881 | 30.3 | 15.8 | 18.6 | 13.5 | 21.8 | - 1.0 | -35.7 | 46.7 | 111.0 | 16.5 | - 4.1 |
| | Wayne | 22,522 | 22.7 | 13.5 | 19.8 | 24.3 | 19.7 | 10.5 | -27.7 | 9.5 | 22.9 | 41.4 | 46.1 |
| | TOTALS | 86,077 | 22.2 | 13.0 | 19.4 | 21.1 | 24.3 | 12.0 | -34.6 | 32.9 | 43.9 | 41.0 | 41.6 |
| CAPITAL | Franklin | 9,285 | 39.5 | 21.2 | 12.8 | 15.3 | 11.2 | - 7.6 | -36.3 | 36.7 | 29.1 | 37.5 | 15.0 |
| | Granville | 10,135 | 36.0 | 14.3 | 12.1 | 24.7 | 12.9 | 1.4 | -27.2 | 46.8 | 24.0 | 27.5 | 25.0 |
| | Harnett | 15,687 | 23.8 | 24.4 | 15.7 | 17.9 | 18.2 | - .7 | -43.7 | 18.8 | 23.3 | 36.2 | 52.0 |
| | Johnston | 20,989 | 32.7 | 17.9 | 16.8 | 16.3 | 16.3 | - 4.3 | -44.3 | 45.3 | 50.7 | 46.9 | 44.9 |
| | Vance | 10,539 | 24.0 | 19.3 | 19.0 | 21.5 | 16.2 | - 8.8 | -30.6 | -25.4 | 6.9 | 19.2 | 20.8 |
| | Wake | 63,742 | 7.2 | 11.6 | 20.0 | 28.5 | 32.7 | 23.4 | -49.4 | 56.0 | 26.1 | 32.7 | 48.6 |
| | Warren | 5,398 | 36.1 | 16.9 | 13.1 | 16.9 | 17.0 | -30.3 | -55.9 | 3.2 | 2.6 | 3.5 | 5.6 |
| | TOTALS | 135,775 | 19.9 | 15.7 | 17.5 | 23.2 | 23.7 | 5.5 | -42.4 | 28.7 | 26.1 | 32.0 | 42.6 |
| SENCLAND & SOUTHEASTERN | Bladen | 8,073 | 30.5 | 27.1 | 14.5 | 14.4 | 13.5 | -17.9 | -51.6 | 8.6 | 39.9 | 20.7 | 17.5 |
| | Brunswick | 5,417 | 22.0 | 21.2 | 14.9 | 13.2 | 28.7 | - 7.4 | -60.5 | 19.7 | 62.7 | 31.4 | 87.9 |
| | Columbus | 15,570 | 40.7 | 17.3 | 14.4 | 15.3 | 12.3 | - 9.3 | -39.3 | 85.5 | 18.5 | 37.5 | 16.1 |
| | Duplin | 13,259 | 44.6 | 12.1 | 13.7 | 14.6 | 15.0 | - 4.5 | -35.0 | 61.9 | 51.0 | 51.9 | 50.7 |
| | New Hanover | 25,935 | 2.6 | 20.2 | 22.1 | 24.2 | 30.9 | 9.0 | -40.4 | 24.4 | 4.2 | 7.5 | 12.8 |
| | Pender | 5,850 | 36.1 | 17.6 | 13.3 | 16.6 | 16.4 | - 1.1 | -35.8 | 25.9 | 68.1 | 65.5 | 26.0 |
| | TOTALS | 74,104 | 25.2 | 18.8 | 16.9 | 18.1 | 21.0 | - 3.0 | -41.7 | 33.1 | 20.7 | 22.9 | 23.3 |

Table 12. (continued) Industrial employment distribution, North Carolina, by area and county and percentage change 1950 to 1960

| | | Total employment, 1960 | Distribution in percent of total, 1960 | | | | | Percentage change, 1950-1960 | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Agr., forest, fish and min. | Manuf. | Trade | Service | Other | Total employed | Agr., forest, fish and min. | Manuf. | Trade | Service | Other |
| TAR HEEL | Robeson | 27,330 | 40.9 | 14.1 | 13.0 | 17.9 | 14.1 | -10.7 | -32.6 | 17.6 | 14.5 | 23.2 | 5.1 |
| | Scotland | 8,038 | 14.6 | 36.1 | 15.7 | 20.6 | 13.0 | - 8.6 | -54.5 | 4.6 | 25.0 | 26.9 | -7.8 |
| | TOTALS | 35,368 | 34.9 | 19.1 | 13.6 | 18.5 | 13.9 | -10.2 | -35.5 | 11.7 | 17.1 | 24.1 | 2.1 |
| SANDHILLS | Hoke | 4,745 | 28.6 | 26.7 | 12.0 | 20.8 | 11.9 | - 6.2 | -49.4 | 103.2 | 55.5 | 23.5 | - 3.6 |
| | Lee | 9,921 | 9.3 | 37.7 | 18.0 | 17.8 | 17.2 | 12.8 | -53.8 | 43.5 | 28.7 | 27.3 | 20.6 |
| | Montgomery | 7,025 | 11.0 | 46.2 | 12.9 | 16.7 | 13.2 | 8.2 | -35.2 | 12.7 | 34.2 | 35.5 | 5.7 |
| | Moore | 12,949 | 13.0 | 28.5 | 12.7 | 28.1 | 17.7 | 10.9 | -34.0 | 21.3 | 15.7 | 32.0 | 20.4 |
| | Richmond | 13,555 | 7.5 | 34.6 | 16.5 | 18.8 | 22.6 | - 8.7 | -57.9 | - 9.9 | 19.9 | 13.1 | - 1.6 |
| | TOTALS | 48,195 | 11.9 | 34.5 | 14.8 | 21.0 | 17.8 | 2.8 | -46.9 | 15.8 | 24.9 | 25.4 | 8.3 |
| PIEDMONT | Anson | 8,001 | 20.2 | 31.0 | 12.8 | 19.5 | 16.5 | - 9.4 | -51.6 | 17.6 | 4.2 | 18.4 | 20.7 |
| | Cabarrus | 29,867 | 3.8 | 52.7 | 12.6 | 16.3 | 14.6 | 7.4 | -37.1 | .6 | 13.4 | 23.1 | 41.6 |
| | Catawba | 31,163 | 3.4 | 51.4 | 14.3 | 14.8 | 16.1 | 23.2 | -57.8 | 28.2 | 34.6 | 39.8 | 37.2 |
| | Cleveland | 24,708 | 9.6 | 40.3 | 14.5 | 18.7 | 16.9 | 3.8 | -62.8 | 20.3 | 22.1 | 35.6 | 48.5 |
| | Gaston | 51,151 | 1.7 | 54.0 | 12.6 | 14.5 | 17.2 | 11.8 | -58.8 | 3.0 | 15.0 | 26.8 | 63.2 |
| | Iredell | 25,153 | 8.2 | 44.1 | 15.3 | 17.7 | 14.7 | 14.8 | -48.4 | 28.6 | 26.7 | 33.7 | 26.5 |
| | Lincoln | 10,818 | 9.6 | 45.6 | 13.3 | 13.0 | 18.5 | 8.3 | -57.9 | 19.5 | 25.8 | 27.8 | 74.8 |
| | Mecklenburg | 111,006 | 1.5 | 22.8 | 22.5 | 23.8 | 29.4 | 31.1 | -49.7 | 28.4 | 21.4 | 35.0 | 51.2 |
| | Rowan | 32,127 | 4.4 | 44.3 | 14.4 | 17.4 | 19.5 | 5.8 | -42.2 | 8.5 | 9.4 | 36.2 | - 3.1 |
| | Stanly | 16,227 | 6.9 | 48.7 | 14.6 | 14.2 | 15.6 | 10.8 | -45.3 | 8.1 | 39.2 | 35.2 | 35.0 |
| | Union | 16,610 | 11.8 | 34.0 | 14.5 | 17.3 | 22.4 | 13.2 | -62.4 | 74.6 | 27.6 | 51.1 | 52.0 |
| | TOTALS | 356,831 | 4.6 | 39.5 | 16.5 | 18.5 | 20.9 | 15.9 | -54.2 | 16.0 | 21.0 | 33.5 | 42.0 |
| NOT PARTICIPATING | Cumberland | 30,932 | 7.7 | 13.1 | 25.0 | 28.4 | 25.8 | 28.4 | -38.5 | 2.7 | 52.6 | 51.3 | 48.4 |
| | Sampson | 15,283 | 37.7 | 18.8 | 13.2 | 16.1 | 14.2 | - 5.6 | -39.0 | 50.0 | 34.2 | 32.2 | 48.2 |
| | TOTALS | 46,215 | 17.6 | 15.0 | 21.1 | 24.3 | 22.0 | 14.8 | -38.9 | 18.2 | 48.4 | 46.6 | 48.3 |
| North Carolina | | 1,605,478 | 13.2 | 31.7 | 16.0 | 19.5 | 19.6 | 9.7 | -42.4 | 24.5 | 22.8 | 30.0 | 32.6 |

Table 13. Cash receipts from crops, North Carolina, 1940-1962 [a]

| Year | Tobacco | Cotton | | Peanuts | Corn | Potatoes | | Soybeans |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Lint | Seed | | | Sweet | Irish | |
| | | (thousands of dollars) | | | | | | |
| 1940 | 89,330 | 30,754 | 4,177 | 10,949 | 3,470 | 1,494 | 3,432 | 1,161 |
| 1941 | 134,946 | 47,727 | 7,914 | 13,155 | 3,597 | 1,570 | 2,895 | 1,272 |
| 1942 | 224,005 | 57,819 | 7,958 | 19,874 | 5,150 | 2,814 | 6,602 | 3,684 |
| 1943 | 222,950 | 63,756 | 7,890 | 25,349 | 6,547 | 5,642 | 11,837 | 4,198 |
| 1944 | 334,250 | 72,007 | 8,583 | 25,449 | 7,046 | 6,560 | 5,274 | 2,470 |
| 1945 | 359,914 | 46,116 | 6,246 | 22,777 | 10,203 | 5,125 | 9,306 | 4,672 |
| 1946 | 436,761 | 66,256 | 8,980 | 26,044 | 10,715 | 5,152 | 10,958 | 6,453 |
| 1947 | 405,435 | 78,441 | 11,049 | 29,815 | 15,834 | 4,782 | 9,431 | 8,799 |
| 1948 | 377,272 | 106,012 | 15,232 | 31,600 | 19,650 | 5,147 | 11,560 | 7,157 |
| 1949 | 359,264 | 83,577 | 7,885 | 32,302 | 16,003 | 5,117 | 7,705 | 7,693 |
| 1950 | 486,167 | 42,012 | 4,947 | 26,630 | 19,756 | 5,034 | 5,552 | 9,419 |
| 1951 | 534,595 | 73,520 | 13,790 | 35,288 | 17,007 | 4,420 | 5,477 | 11,700 |
| 1952 | 457,633 | 113,483 | 14,575 | 33,283 | 15,827 | 4,525 | 8,649 | 11,486 |
| 1953 | 457,033 | 83,698 | 8,631 | 35,956 | 11,435 | 5,158 | 3,879 | 9,506 |
| 1954 | 497,287 | 68,509 | 8,145 | 31,494 | 23,805 | 4,542 | 5,208 | 10,789 |
| 1955 | 533,701 | 53,699 | 4,820 | 24,386 | 23,481 | 3,601 | 4,224 | 9,490 |
| 1956 | 507,247 | 54,503 | 5,357 | 32,902 | 34,772 | 2,878 | 8,977 | 16,639 |
| 1957 | 369,642 | 41,984 | 4,096 | 28,661 | 31,882 | 4,504 | 3,862 | 14,173 |
| 1958 | 438,214 | 43,561 | 4,440 | 42,319 | 36,174 | 4,296 | 4,102 | 22,535 |
| 1959 | 420,109 | 51,075 | 3,934 | 29,554 | 41,169 | 4,066 | 7,776 | 21,781 |
| 1960 | 523,385 | 37,356 | 3,310 | 33,233 | 46,225 | 5,824 | 6,204 | 23,051 |
| 1961 | 557,011 | 46,018 | 4,877 | 33,487 | 36,923 | 7,373 | 5,572 | 27,077 |
| 1962 [b] | 563,417 | 45,635 | 4,644 | 40,383 | 36,227 | 8,698 | 6,246 | 30,229 |

Table 13. (continued) Cash receipts from crops, North Carolina, 1940-1962[a/]

| Year | Wheat | Truck crops | Fruit and tree crops | Forest and products | Green-house and nursery | Other crops | Total crops |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | (thousand of dollars) | | | | |
| 1940 | 2,563 | 4,860 | 4,528 | 6,572 | 1,042 | 2,990 | 167,322 |
| 1941 | 3,090 | 5,628 | 5,257 | 7,394 | 1,093 | 3,281 | 238,819 |
| 1942 | 3,529 | 6,797 | 6,917 | 7,330 | 1,872 | 4,937 | 359,288 |
| 1943 | 3,008 | 10,710 | 4,683 | 7,953 | 1,928 | 6,501 | 382,952 |
| 1944 | 6,146 | 9,353 | 11,080 | 6,800 | 2,022 | 7,004 | 504,044 |
| 1945 | 5,341 | 12,911 | 9,363 | 8,050 | - | 8,135 | 508,159 |
| 1946 | 7,005 | 13,297 | 12,490 | 9,035 | 2,166 | 10,223 | 625,535 |
| 1947 | 11,254 | 11,969 | 7,999 | 15,602 | 2,480 | 11,420 | 624,310 |
| 1948 | 9,218 | 15,053 | 9,043 | 10,635 | 2,620 | 9,898 | 630,097 |
| 1949 | 6,025 | 11,166 | 6,692 | 8,535 | 2,481 | 9,664 | 564,109 |
| 1950 | 6,356 | 10,796 | 7,370 | 18,086 | 6,323 | 7,803 | 656,251 |
| 1951 | 11,134 | 12,626 | 7,365 | 18,179 | 7,221 | 8,061 | 760,383 |
| 1952 | 11,155 | 11,517 | 9,296 | 16,449 | 7,451 | 16,892 | 732,221 |
| 1953 | 10,864 | 11,590 | 6,149 | 15,659 | 7,555 | 18,451 | 685,564 |
| 1954 | 8,899 | 13,227 | 8,015 | 23,267 | 8,510 | 11,014 | 722,711 |
| 1955 | 8,071 | 11,438 | 2,375 | 41,186 | 8,775 | 9,956 | 739,203 |
| 1956 | 13,329 | 13,201 | 7,401 | 43,074 | 9,173 | 10,844 | 760,297 |
| 1957 | 9,034 | 14,593 | 8,884 | 48,384 | 9,616 | 8,998 | 598,313 |
| 1958 | 9,154 | 13,037 | 9,082 | 48,840 | 10,020 | 8,370 | 694,144 |
| 1959 | 12,187 | 14,537 | 9,633 | 45,730 | 10,410 | 8,899 | 680,860 |
| 1960 | 10,067 | 10,494 | 13,116 | 20,098 | 10,117 | 9,824 | 752,304 |
| 1961 | 15,385 | 13,680 | 12,054 | 20,213 | 10,411 | 7,464 | 797,545 |
| 1962[b/] | 8,633 | 15,913 | 11,940 | 24,000 | 10,804 | 7,071 | 813,840 |

a/ Source: 1940-1959 from North Carolina Agricultural Statistics, N. C. Dept of Agri.
1960-1962 from Farm Income Situation, U. S. Dept. of Agri.

b/Preliminary estimates

Table 14. Cash receipts from livestock and livestock products, North Carolina, 1940-1962[a]

| Year | Cattle & calves | Hogs & pigs | Chickens (excluding broilers) | Broilers | Eggs | Turkeys | Dairy products | Other | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | (thousands of dollars) | | | | | |
| 1940 | 4,654 | 5,507 | 2,610 | 1,945 | 6,036 | 623 | 12,257 | 287 | 33,919 |
| 1941 | 5,284 | 8,204 | 3,973 | 2,994 | 8,357 | 694 | 14,430 | 347 | 44,283 |
| 1942 | 6,551 | 15,842 | 5,607 | 5,103 | 12,716 | 1,005 | 17,423 | 671 | 64,918 |
| 1943 | 8,626 | 22,986 | 12,123 | 10,697 | 21,114 | 1,199 | 21,998 | 849 | 99,592 |
| 1944 | 11,293 | 24,780 | 11,397 | 10,265 | 20,962 | 1,288 | 26,081 | 1,305 | 107,371 |
| 1945 | 16,378 | 20,398 | 15,443 | 15,452 | 23,264 | 2,023 | 27,039 | 913 | 120,910 |
| 1946 | 17,940 | 20,527 | 12,353 | 13,780 | 21,771 | 2,688 | 29,688 | 1,146 | 119,893 |
| 1947 | 16,794 | 27,812 | 11,694 | 14,907 | 25,920 | 2,389 | 33,906 | 1,728 | 135,150 |
| 1948 | 22,730 | 34,774 | 9,750 | 18,401 | 25,192 | 2,601 | 37,587 | 1,959 | 152,994 |
| 1949 | 17,860 | 33,418 | 8,863 | 17,354 | 27,580 | 2,845 | 37,533 | 1,407 | 146,860 |
| 1950 | 17,517 | 34,976 | 6,250 | 20,699 | 31,467 | 3,461 | 44,322 | 1,580 | 160,272 |
| 1951 | 24,483 | 40,173 | 6,855 | 25,472 | 40,943 | 5,204 | 48,198 | 2,369 | 193,697 |
| 1952 | 15,949 | 44,424 | 7,474 | 34,485 | 38,971 | 6,218 | 52,172 | 3,214 | 202,907 |
| 1953 | 18,359 | 47,644 | 5,873 | 38,698 | 44,721 | 5,475 | 56,359 | 2,513 | 219,642 |
| 1954 | 21,600 | 50,043 | 5,889 | 37,903 | 44,073 | 6,657 | 55,660 | 3,020 | 224,845 |
| 1955 | 24,625 | 39,025 | 5,696 | 52,952 | 45,727 | 5,671 | 56,725 | 2,350 | 232,771 |
| 1956 | 22,966 | 38,655 | 5,712 | 55,126 | 52,009 | 6,840 | 58,950 | 2,821 | 243,079 |
| 1957 | 25,895 | 51,946 | 4,848 | 59,015 | 54,641 | 7,805 | 62,490 | 2,379 | 269,019 |
| 1958 | 36,296 | 55,539 | 5,388 | 78,176 | 64,818 | 8,135 | 61,757 | 3,716 | 313,825 |
| 1959 | 36,375 | 51,578 | 6,062 | 68,920 | 56,833 | 8,065 | 64,366 | 3,408 | 295,607 |
| 1960 | 34,376 | 51,628 | 4,645 | 82,685 | 62,895 | 8,359 | 66,332 | 3,112 | 314,032 |
| 1961 | 33,144 | 51,845 | 4,934 | 82,369 | 65,989 | 11,787 | 68,342 | 3,501 | 321,911 |
| 1962[b] | 36,253 | 51,500 | 4,372 | 98,760 | 70,620 | 9,847 | 70,041 | 3,453 | 344,846 |

a/Source: 1940-1959 from North Carolina Agricultural Statistics, N. C. Dept. of Agric.
1960-1962 from Farm Income Situation, U. S. D. A.

b/Preliminary estimates

Table 15. Average prices received by farmers for various crops, North Carolina, 1940-1963[a/]

| Year | Tobacco ¢/# | Cotton | | Peanuts ¢/# | Corn $/Bu. | Potatoes | | Soybeans $/Bu. | Wheat $/Bu. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Lint ¢/# | Seed $/Ton | | | Sweet $/Bu. | Irish $/Bu. | | |
| 1940 | 16.6 | 9.93 | 22.52 | 3.5 | .72 | .76 | .61 | .83 | .94 |
| 1941 | 29.2 | 17.90 | 48.96 | 5.4 | .82 | .94 | .77 | 1.61 | 1.09 |
| 1942 | 39.1 | 19.39 | 45.38 | 7.4 | 1.22 | 1.16 | 1.04 | 1.64 | 1.23 |
| 1943 | 40.6 | 20.19 | 50.00 | 7.4 | 1.53 | 2.08 | 1.36 | 1.88 | 1.58 |
| 1944 | 43.2 | 20.78 | 50.50 | 8.8 | 1.50 | 1.93 | 1.44 | 2.08 | 1.66 |
| 1945 | 43.8 | 23.22 | 47.70 | 9.2 | 1.48 | 2.19 | 1.72 | 2.20 | 1.70 |
| 1946 | 49.3 | 32.65 | 71.70 | 10.2 | 1.85 | 2.29 | 1.20 | 2.71 | 2.14 |
| 1947 | 42.0 | 32.59 | 80.40 | 11.0 | 2.00 | 2.21 | 1.59 | 3.00 | 2.39 |
| 1948 | 49.7 | 30.68 | 60.30 | 10.8 | 1.35 | 2.32 | 1.61 | 2.20 | 2.28 |
| 1949 | 48.1 | 29.16 | 42.20 | 10.8 | 1.30 | 2.19 | 1.34 | 1.93 | 1.99 |
| 1950 | 55.6 | 41.04 | 83.00 | 12.6 | 1.52 | 1.99 | .90 | 2.47 | 2.17 |
| 1951 | 53.5 | 38.75 | 69.20 | 12.1 | 1.70 | 3.20 | 1.34 | 2.59 | 2.10 |
| 1952 | 49.9 | 35.68 | 71.20 | 11.3 | 1.74 | 3.49 | 2.59 | 2.59 | 2.04 |
| 1953 | 53.7 | 33.00 | 50.90 | 12.0 | 1.61 | 2.55 | .92 | 2.57 | 1.93 |
| 1954 | 54.2 | 34.70 | 61.70 | 13.4 | 1.64 | 2.82 | 1.47 | 2.66 | 2.01 |
| 1955 | 53.3 | 32.10 | 39.10 | 12.9 | 1.26 | 2.39 | 1.26 | 2.13 | 1.99 |
| 1956 | 51.8 | 30.90 | 42.90 | 11.8 | 1.29 | 2.54 | 2.44 | 2.09 | 1.95 |
| 1957 | 55.2 | 30.70 | 48.20 | 10.9 | 1.37 | 2.41 | 1.01 | 2.05 | 1.95 |
| 1958 | 58.1 | 35.10 | 46.60 | 10.8 | 1.30 | 2.62 | .95 | 1.97 | 1.95 |
| 1959 | 57.9 | 30.20 | 32.90 | 10.7 | 1.17 | 2.11 | 1.85 | 2.09 | 1.77 |
| 1960 | 61.1 | 31.80 | 38.60 | 11.0 | 1.14 | 2.45 | 1.22 | 2.01 | 1.79 |
| 1961 | 65.1 | 34.10 | 46.40 | 11.6 | 1.18 | 2.58 | 1.17 | 2.26 | 1.76 |
| 1962 | 60.2 | 33.30 | 46.70 | 11.9 | 1.24 | 2.32 | 1.66 | 2.32 | 1.93 |
| 1963[b/] | 58.2 | 33.20 | 48.20 | 11.4 | 1.28 | 2.32 | 1.13 | 2.70 | 1.85 |

a/ Source: 1940-1960 North Carolina Agricultural Statistics; North Carolina Dept. of Agri.
1961-1963 North Carolina Farm Report, North Carolina Dept. of Agri.

b/ Preliminary estimates

Table 16. Average prices received by farmers for various livestock and livestock products, North Carolina, 1940-1963[a/]

| Year | Hogs $/cwt. | Beef cattle $/cwt. | Calves $/cwt. | Milk $/cwt. | Commercial broilers ¢/lb. | Chickens ¢/lb. | Eggs ¢/doz. | Turkeys ¢/lb. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1940 | 5.80 | 5.80 | 7.90 | 2.65 | 17.0 | 14.4 | 18.0 | 20.1 |
| 1941 | 8.90 | 7.00 | 9.40 | 2.70 | 18.0 | 16.2 | 23.5 | 22.4 |
| 1942 | 12.50 | 8.90 | 11.70 | 3.05 | 21.0 | 18.8 | 28.9 | 27.0 |
| 1943 | 13.40 | 10.00 | 13.50 | 3.60 | 28.3 | 26.1 | 36.3 | 35.2 |
| 1944 | 13.10 | 10.80 | 12.40 | 3.75 | 28.8 | 23.7 | 32.5 | 34.9 |
| 1945 | 14.00 | 12.10 | 13.00 | 3.65 | 29.5 | 25.9 | 37.7 | 36.4 |
| 1946 | 16.70 | 13.80 | 15.40 | 4.44 | 32.3 | 27.5 | 41.6 | 41.0 |
| 1947 | 22.80 | 15.50 | 19.20 | 4.97 | 32.9 | 27.0 | 48.0 | 39.1 |
| 1948 | 22.70 | 18.00 | 23.00 | 5.41 | 34.7 | 28.6 | 50.3 | 45.4 |
| 1949 | 18.40 | 16.90 | 22.70 | 4.89 | 26.0 | 27.3 | 48.6 | 36.4 |
| 1950 | 18.10 | 19.00 | 24.90 | 5.06 | 26.3 | 22.4 | 40.0 | 38.1 |
| 1951 | 20.30 | 23.40 | 31.70 | 5.58 | 27.9 | 25.9 | 53.0 | 39.2 |
| 1952 | 18.40 | 20.70 | 27.10 | 5.57 | 28.4 | 23.1 | 47.0 | 36.4 |
| 1953 | 21.00 | 12.90 | 18.80 | 5.52 | 26.3 | 22.9 | 51.8 | 35.4 |
| 1954 | 22.60 | 11.10 | 17.00 | 5.34 | 22.4 | 19.4 | 44.0 | 31.0 |
| 1955 | 16.10 | 11.70 | 18.50 | 5.46 | 24.2 | 20.6 | 45.2 | 30.9 |
| 1956 | 14.70 | 12.10 | 18.00 | 5.52 | 18.9 | 19.0 | 44.2 | 29.9 |
| 1957 | 18.00 | 13.50 | 20.30 | 5.47 | 17.9 | 16.6 | 42.8 | 25.0 |
| 1958 | 19.90 | 18.20 | 25.57 | 5.61 | 17.6 | 16.6 | 46.8 | 27.3 |
| 1959 | 14.90 | 19.30 | 27.60 | 5.71 | 15.2 | 14.1 | 37.7 | 26.5 |
| 1960 | 15.60 | 16.60 | 24.40 | 5.67 | 16.0 | 14.6 | 42.0 | 26.0 |
| 1961 | 17.10 | 16.70 | 24.60 | 5.52 | 13.0 | 12.9 | 41.2 | 22.7 |
| 1962 | 16.50 | 17.00 | 25.90 | 5.51 | 14.3 | 12.8 | 39.6 | 21.7 |
| 1963 | 15.30 | 16.20 | 24.90 | 5.61 | 13.6 | 12.7 | 39.9 | 21.8 |

a/Source: 1940-1960 North Carolina Agricultural Statistics, North Carolina Dept. of Agri.
1961-1963 Agricultural Prices, U.S.D.A.

## Table 17. Acres in principal crops, North Carolina, 1940-1963[a/]

| Year | Tobacco | Cotton | Peanuts | All corn | Potatoes | | Soy-beans[b/] | Wheat |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | Sweet | Irish | | |
| | | | | (thousands of acres) | | | | |
| 1940 | 505 | 829 | 262 | 2,441 | 73 | 77 | 190 | 443 |
| 1945 | 735 | 575 | 320 | 2,204 | 63 | 72 | 216 | 408 |
| 1950 | 651 | 580 | 227 | 2,248 | 62 | 62 | 297 | 356 |
| 1951 | 747 | 702 | 232 | 2,181 | 37 | 42 | 309 | 392 |
| 1952 | 747 | 745 | 191 | 2,181 | 38 | 41 | 286 | 408 |
| 1953 | 685 | 775 | 179 | 2,159 | 46 | 44 | 258 | 404 |
| 1954 | 699 | 545 | 176 | 2,137 | 41 | 37 | 289 | 343 |
| 1955 | 663 | 480 | 188 | 2,094 | 40 | 37 | 327 | 329 |
| 1956 | 588 | 440 | 198 | 1,968 | 36 | 37 | 416 | 368 |
| 1957 | 453 | 347 | 181 | 1,850 | 38 | 38 | 416 | 350 |
| 1958 | 438 | 263 | 178 | 1,850 | 31 | 34 | 428 | 306 |
| 1959 | 468 | 390 | 178 | 1,961 | 31 | 29 | 437 | 404 |
| 1960 | 467 | 390 | 176 | 1,902 | 24 | 29 | 545 | 327 |
| 1961 | 473 | 396 | 176 | 1,597 | 22 | 27 | 609 | 392 |
| 1962 | 494 | 402 | 176 | 1,474[c/] | 27 | 23 | 558 | 204 |
| 1963 | 471.5 | 377 | 176 | 1,570[c/] | 21 | 22 | 597 | 235 |

a/ Source: 1940-1961, North Carolina Agricultural Statistics, North Carolina Dept. of Agri.
1962-1963, North Carolina Farm Report, North Carolina Dept. of Agri.

b/ For beans

c/ Planted

Table 18. Classes of livestock on farms, January 1, and livestock and livestock products produced during the year, North Carolina, 1940-1963[a/]

| Year | Number on farms, January 1 | | | | Produced during the year | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Cattle and calves | Hogs and Pigs | All chicks | Turkeys | Eggs | Turkeys | Broilers | Other chicks |
| | (thousands) | | | | | | | |
| 1940 | 595 | 1,205 | 10,014 | 62 | 672,000 | 234 | 4,400 | 16,110 |
| 1945 | 751 | 1,216 | 13,834 | 49 | 1,064,000 | 371 | 17,940 | 21,947 |
| 1950 | 670 | 1,177 | 12,393 | 44 | 1,276,000 | 557 | 28,109 | 15,194 |
| 1951 | 737 | 1,189 | 12,394 | 45 | 1,245,000 | 780 | 32,606 | 15,642 |
| 1952 | 796 | 1,308 | 12,748 | 57 | 1,320,000 | 1,016 | 43,366 | 16,305 |
| 1953 | 939 | 1,203 | 12,348 | 60 | 1,349,000 | 1,107 | 50,738 | 13,770 |
| 1954 | 995 | 1,119 | 12,404 | 70 | 1,460,000 | 1,207 | 58,349 | 13,899 |
| 1955 | 985 | 1,276 | 12,389 | 64 | 1,469,000 | 1,051 | 72,936 | 12,489 |
| 1956 | 955 | 1,276 | 12,523 | 65 | 1,681,000 | 1,293 | 94,087 | 13,260 |
| 1957 | 926 | 1,314 | 13,014 | 87 | 1,830,000 | 1,824 | 106,352 | 13,953 |
| 1958 | 907 | 1,406 | 13,788 | 103 | 1,922,000 | 1,718 | 134,600 | 14,594 |
| 1959 | 889 | 1,476 | 14,481 | 111 | 2,061,000 | 1,677 | 137,400 | 13,719 |
| 1960 | 907 | 1,520 | 13,092 | 116 | 2,035,000 | 1,796 | 156,600 | 11,316 |
| 1961 | 898 | 1,292 | 14,072 | 211 | 2,115,000 | 2,770 | 186,354 | 14,515 |
| 1962 | 907 | 1,279 | 14,426 | 176 | 2,304,000 | 2,345 | 203,126 | 13,644 |
| 1963 | 907 | 1,343 | 14,772 | 230 | 2,324,000 | 2,726 | 215,314 | 15,281 |

a/ Source: Inventory numbers 1940-1954 from North Carolina Agricultural Statistics North Carolina Department of Agriculture; 1955-1963 from Livestock and Poultry Inventory, U.S.D.A., February Issue; Production figures 1940-1960 from North Carolina Agricultural Statistics, North Carolina Department of Agriculture; 1961-63 from North Carolina Farm Report, North Carolina Department of Agriculture, June 7, 1963, February 6 and March 9, 1964 and June 5, 1964.

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